

Kimmel Threatened With Death on His Return From Fleet

Pearl Harbor Commander Tells of Protest to Secreta

Washington, Jan. 16—(AP)—Rear Adm. Husband E. Kimmel told a senate-house committee today that he received letters threatening him with death when he returned to this country after the Pearl Harbor disaster.

He gave the committee a copy of a letter he wrote to Adm. Harold R. Stark on Feb. 22, 1942 protesting that "all justice lie (Navy) depart... should do nothing further... inflame the public against... Stark was chief of naval operations.

Kimmel wrote that he had received notification from Secretary of the Navy Knox that he would be retired March 1, 1942, "without consideration of any offense or prejudice to future disciplinary action."

"I do not understand this paragraph unless it is to be published to the country as a promise that I will be discharged at some future time," the letter added.

"Crucifixion Near Limit"

"I stand ready at any time to accept the consequences of my acts. I do not wish to embarrass the government in the conduct of the war.

"I do feel, however, that my crucifixion before the public has almost reached the limit. I am in daily receipt of letters from irresponsible people over the country taking me to task and even threatening to kill me. I am not particularly concerned except as it shows the effect on the morale of articles published about me."

Kimmel brought out the letter during questioning by Seth Richardson, committee counsel, about circumstances of his retirement from the Navy.

To Summon Justice Roberts

Before questioning, the investigators decided to summon former Supreme Court Justice Owen J. Roberts as a witness.

The action was taken after Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.), a member of the senate-house inquiry committee, questioned the completeness of the printed report on the Roberts commission's probe of Japan's attack at Pearl Harbor Dec. 7, 1941. The printed report was the only one made available to the congressional committee.

Ferguson said he would like to question Roberts not only about the possible omissions, but also

Air Era Depends on Aircraft and Systems

Chicago, Jan. 16—(AP)—Whether the predicted postwar flying boom will be a bursting bubble or a sound growth "depends on two elements: better aircraft and a better airport system," William A. M. Burden, assistant secretary of commerce, said today.

In an address prepared for delivery to the aircraft sessions of the American Roadbuilders association, Burden contended "aviation stands ready to emerge from the dirt-road era. We have some 35,000 civil aircraft in the United States, roughly the same as the number of registered motor vehicles in 1903.

"We have more than six times that number of pilots registered with the CAA. We have about 3,000 airports for the more than 16,000 communities of the nation.

"There is a wide and growing public interest in aviation, which if given the opportunity, can be translated into the purchase of aircraft until 400,000 planes are in use by 1955."

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Rumor Arrest in Murder Case

Frankfurt, Germany, Jan. 16—(AP)—Rumors circulated today that an arrest had been made in the torch murder of three U. S. military government officers at Passau, but high American Army officers refused to comment. Instead, the secrecy surrounding the 10-day-old case was intensified.

One officer unofficially volunteered the statement that he believed the case might be an "intra-Army scandal." A report said an American officer was under suspicion.

Army investigators who have wrapped the entire case in such secrecy that so far not even the names and hometowns of the victims have been announced officially. However, they have been officially identified as Maj. Everett S. Coffran of Washington, D. C., Capt. Adrian I. Wessler of New Rochelle, N. Y., and Lt. Col. Rosewater of Omaha, Neb., formerly of Elgin, Ill.

Iran Dispute May Provide Critical Test for New UNO

London, Jan. 16—(AP)—Iran is considering an "immediate" appeal to the United Nations Security Council for help in settling her disagreement with Soviet Russia over the Azerbaijan autonomy movement, the chief of the Iranian UNO delegation said today.

Seyed Hassan Taqizadeh, Iranian ambassador to London, said he had received new instructions from Tehran last night after his speech before the general assembly in which he declared the issue would not be placed before the UNO at present.

Another member of the Iranian delegation, former Foreign Minister Nasrullah Entezam, said the new instructions called for an immediate appeal to the security council, which holds its first session tomorrow.

Exactly what approach will be made has not yet been worked out, Entezam said. Cases may be taken to the security council by direct petition or through the secretary-general of the UNO—who has not yet been selected.

Shapes Up Crucial Test

The Iranian developments, shaping up as a critical test for the peace agency, overshadowed all other UNO activities and confronted Andrei Vishinsky, Soviet vice commissar of foreign affairs and chief Russian delegate, with a difficult situation to tackle upon his expected arrival tomorrow.

Entezam said the Iranian government would build much of its case against Russia on chapter 1, article 2, paragraph 4 of the United Nations charter which declares:

"All members (of the United Nations) shall refrain in their international relations from the threat or use of force against the territorial integrity or political independence of any state, or in any other manner inconsistent with the purposes of the United Nations."

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Acquisition of Some British Bases in Connection With Loan Urged by Solon

Washington, Jan. 16—(AP)—Senator Magnuson (D-Wash.) called today for acquisition of some British-owned island bases in connection with any loan to England, thus spreading to both oceans current discussions of future American outposts.

Magnuson's comment to a reporter came in the wake of President Truman's declaration that this country intends to retain exclusive control over any former Japanese islands it needs for security in the Pacific.

The chief executive told his news conference yesterday that other Japanese-owned or mandated islands will be placed under United Nations trusteeship. He added that no decision has been reached on just what bases this country wants to keep by itself under exclusive trusteeship.

Truman's words backed up arguments of American military and

naval officials who long have urged permanent development of a chain of island bases from the Aleutians in the north to Manus in the south.

The president's assertion also mounted to a virtual directive to the American delegation to the United Nations Assembly in London.

Magnuson, however, said this country should go even further now toward getting the bases it needs both in the Atlantic and the Pacific—whether they belong to enemy or ally.

He said the question of acquiring British bases "essential to our defenses"—either on a permanent or long-term lease basis—should be raised before the proposed \$3,750,000,000 loan to Britain is approved.

"I don't know why, under the loan, these bases can't be thrown in as part of the consideration," he said.

Death of Draft Law Threatened; Senate Group Begins Probe

Poses New Complication in Finding Army Replacements Now

Washington, Jan. 16—(AP)—The war department issued today an order, effective at once, which will govern demobilization of the Army until June 30. It provides:

By April 30, the following will be discharged or aboard ship returning home—Enlisted men with 45 points as of Sept. 2, 1945, or 30 months service April 30, 1946; enlisted WACs with 24 months service April 30, 1946; officers (except regular Army, certain volunteers, and medical department) with 67 points as of Sept. 2, 1945, or 45 months service April 30, 1946; WAC officers with 36 months service April 30, 1946.

By June 30—Enlisted men with 40 points as of Sept. 2, 1945, or with 24 months service June 30, 1946; officers (same exceptions) with 65 points as of Sept. 2, 1945 or with 42 months service June 30, 1946.

Under Separate Orders

Separate instructions for WACs will be issued for the period after April 30. Medical corps officers also will be demobilized by separate order.

"It is emphasized that release of all personnel will follow the principle of priority of release for those with highest points and longest length of service, particularly combat."

Those made eligible by previous rules will receive priority for discharge.

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Four Danville People Held in Indiana Crime

Crawfordsville, Ind., Jan. 16—(AP)—Charges of armed robbery will be filed, Chief of Police Fred Grimes said, against two Danville, Ill., men arrested at Indianapolis a few hours after a holdup in the Crawford hotel here Monday.

Grimes identified the men, who are held here, as Donald Lockhart, 24, and Ralph Burk, 21, and said that Lockhart's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lockhart, both 25, would be held as accomplices.

A cashier in the Marx grocery in LaFayette identified two of the four, Grimes said, in connection with a robbery in the store last Wednesday.

In the hotel robbery, Grimes said, two men forced night clerk Claude Thompson to hand over \$101 from the safe then fled in an automobile occupied by another man and woman.

Roaming Pickets Are Removed

St. Louis, Jan. 16—(AP)—Retail store operators may again pick up orders from wholesale firms and warehouses in their own trucks without fear of molestation by striking truck drivers, William Ryan, president of the AFL Teamsters and Chauffeurs union said today.

Ryan said the union was withdrawing "roaming pickets" from city streets and that union members had been instructed to permit pickups by retailers.

What effect the union order will have on stocks of staple food stuffs, now dangerously low, was not immediately determined.

Meanwhile, the strike of 1500 drivers continued into its 10th day. A negotiating meeting was in session this morning, but no progress had been reported after two hours of discussion.

The strikers are demanding an 18-cent hourly wage increase and reduction of the work week from 48 to 40 hours. About 30,000 workers have been made idle because of curtailment in production due to the strike.

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Fire Raging Over Findlay Refinery

Findlay, O., Jan. 16—(AP)—A fire raged out of control at the Midwest Refineries, Inc. plant today after an explosion caused the death of two employees and ignited fuel tanks.

Four tanks of asphalt first blew up, and the spreading flames later exploded three other petroleum tanks.

All of this city's fire-fighting equipment was being used in a desperate battle to keep the fire from reaching other tanks containing high-octane gasoline.

The wind was spreading the fire toward the gasoline tanks, which contain 50,000 gallons up.

Auto Plants Eager for Settlement of Glass Wage Strike

Columbus, O., Jan. 16—(AP)—Three major industries and dozens of lesser ones, with their stockpiles of flat glass for windows, mirrors, and the like near exhaustion, watched negotiations here to end a strike of 15,000 workers which has stopped an estimated 75 per cent of the country's output.

Automobiles were reported coming off some assembly lines in Detroit and other motor centers with cardboard where their windows and wings should be. Dressers were reported coming out of furniture factories without mirrors. Any broken plate glass window, no matter how swank the store, is braced with wires and board unless the owner just knows where a stray sheet can be had.

The dispute, which started Oct. 22, is between the Federation of Glass, Ceramic, and Silica Sand Workers (CIO) and the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. and the Libbey-Owens-Ford Co. of Toledo.

Three Big Plants Closed

It has closed the plants of these two major producers in ten cities and seven states, leaving their customers to depend on smaller companies ordinarily making 25 per cent of the total. A survey of Detroit motor makers indicated the strike had not yet slowed down production at the Chrysler and Hudson plants, but probably would in a week or ten days. Ford Motor Co. depends partly on its own glass department plus some from smaller manufacturers.

Also affected are 2,000 glass cutters in the glass factories, members of an AFL union.

The workers' wage range from 79 cents to \$1.40 an hour and average of \$1.05.

During the negotiations, a strike of 150 workers broke out in one department of the Libbey-Owens-Ford plant in Ottawa, Ill. U. S. Conciliator Clyde Mills said injecting a new issue. He said the union contended the companies broke off national negotiations until a settlement could be made at Ottawa. The company replied that it only wanted a recess.

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Poor Soybon Crop Reported in Illinois

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 16—(AP)—The state-federal agriculture departments today estimated farm stocks of soybeans in Illinois at 13,300,000 bushels, the second lowest on record.

Corn stocks were 279,000,000 bushels, the report said. Movement has been below trade requirements due to harvest delays, high moisture content or corn and hauling hazards.

The Weather

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 16, 1946
Forecast: Fair and warmer to night and Thursday; low tonight 22, high Thursday 36, low Thursday night 25; northwesterly winds 15 to 20 miles per hour, becoming light and variable tonight.

For the 24 hours ending at 7:00 p. m. Tuesday: maximum temperature 35, minimum 15 (year ago 30 and 18); clear.

Thursday: sun rises at 7:13; sets at 4:43.

TEMPERATURES

High Tuesday, low last night
Chicago..... 26 13
Cincinnati..... 35 19
Cleveland..... 34 11
Detroit..... 22 11
Indianapolis..... 32 16
Louisville..... 35 24
Marquette..... 12 1
Memphis..... 41 29
Milwaukee..... 21 8
Minneapolis..... 22 9
Bismarck..... 22 9
Des Moines..... 20 9
Duluth..... 2 1
Kansas City..... 25 17
Minneapolis, St. Paul..... 9 0
Omaha..... 24 13
St. Louis..... 24 13
St. Louis..... 34 9
Wichita..... 27 16
Atlanta..... 41 37
Boston..... 32 22
Jacksonville..... 72 52
Miami..... 81 72
New York..... 41 14
Abilene..... 33 21
Brownsville..... 59 40
Fort Worth..... 33 25
New Orleans..... 53 42
Denver..... 42 22
Helena..... 43 20
Phoenix..... 65 39
Salt Lake City..... 33 10
Los Angeles..... 66 38
San Francisco..... 48 38
Seattle..... 43 30

Allies Bare Huge Breeding Plan to Populate Germany

Importation of Women From Ukraine Ordered, Military Court Hears

Nuernberg, Germany, Jan. 16—(AP)—The international military tribunal heard today that Hitler dreamed of creating a nation of 250,000,000 German-speaking people within 100 years and ordered 500,000 young female domestics brought from the Ukraine as a step toward that goal.

The court, trying 22 top Nazis as war criminals, received this evidence in the record of a secret meeting of Fritz Sauckel with officials of the ministry for occupied eastern territories and the Nazis labor front Sept. 4, 1942.

Sauckel, who was in charge of foreign labor, was in the prisoners' box as the report was read in prosecution of Martin Bormann. Hitler's aide who is being tried in absentia although many believed he died in the battle of Berlin.

The record showed that Hitler wanted the imported women to be from 15 to 35 years old and of appearances suitable for their assimilation by the Germans.

Decree Suspended

To further the scheme, Hitler ordered the suspension of a decree forbidding the "illegal bringing of female housekeepers into the Reich by members of the armed forces."

The prosecution completed its case against Baldur von Schirach, who was leader of the Hitler youth movement and gauleiter of Vienna, blaming him for the deportation to Poland of 60,000 Vienna Jews, many destined for Nazi murder mills.

American Assistant Prosecutor Capt. Drezel A. Sprecher of Independence, Wis., read to the court Von Schirach's own declaration that as Nazi district leader of Vienna he had driven "tens of thousands upon tens of thousands of Jews into the Ghetto of the east."

Britain and the United States wound up their cases against the 22 defendants today in the 68th session of the tribunal. The French and Russians now take over the case.

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'Winnie' Opposes Rapid Discharges

Miami Beach, Fla., Jan. 16—(AP)—Winston Churchill, Britain's wartime prime minister, said in an interview soon after arriving here today that he hopes United States troops "are not all going home because we are not numerous enough to handle postwar Europe alone."

"The armies have to be kept in the field in order that all the work we have done to achieve victory will not be destroyed," said Churchill, his voice clear and firm.

He declared he always has been in favor of the partition of Germany "but that has not occurred except by the rough and ready lines of military occupation."

Commenting on American labor troubles, he observed:

"I do not look for an increase in labor disputes in Great Britain because having voted overwhelmingly for labor, the people will take what they get."

Death List Placed at 14 in Freakish Mine Accident

Welch, W. Va., Jan. 16—(AP)—The death list in the freak Havaco mine blast rose to 14 today while experts sought to determine the cause of the terrific explosion in which 253 miners miraculously escaped alive.

Clarence Hale, 24, a digger, died of burns in Grace hospital early today. A thirteenth victim had died previously in the hospital.

State Mine Inspector E. L. Chatfield said the bodies of the 12 men killed outright near the base of the shaft had been removed and two exploring expeditions failed to find any others. He said he was convinced no more victims would be found.

Most Unusual Disaster
A smashing blast at the bottom of Havaco mine No. 9 of the New River Pocahontas Consolidated Coal company yesterday literally twisted the tangle apart, wrecked nearby buildings and injured some bystanders but the force in the main was directed away from the 267 men at work underground.

State Mine Chief G. R. Spindler, his inspectors and company officials joined in the investigation of what they believed to be the most unusual disaster of its kind in West Virginia's mining history.

In most explosions, the force spreads horizontally through the entryways and kills all men in its range. Yesterday's blast blew up

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OREGON

James Kelly, 312-A

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliot

Guests for several days at the Elliott home. He recently returned from Saipan where he served with the 148th General Hospital.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bergner entertained at dinner Thursday evening. Also at Mrs. Oscar Warner, Mrs. E. R. Manderville, Mrs. H. L. Bergner and Mrs. Arthur Berger. Also at Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Berger of the U. S. Air Corps. And taken on the various Pacific

student at Cedar Rapids

lands where he was serving.

Miss Mary Lu Sauer, Coe college student at Cedar Rapids Iowa, writes home that Miss Mary Joyce Ripplinger of Oregon, who sings with the Ray Pearl orchestra, was in Cedar Rapids for two days, appearing with the orches-

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Mrs. H. A. Mayhew returned home Saturday after spending two days in Rockford at the home of Mrs. Mayhew and Evert Gustafson.

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Deaths

attack. Funeral service held at the Bracken funeral home.

Mrs. Albright, who was born Eagle Point township Nov. 1858, is survived by two sons, the daughters and six grandchildren

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SOCIETY

EXPERIENCES OVERSEAS ARE RECOUNTED FOR TRAVEL CLUB MEMBERS BY MAJOR BREWSTER

"Guest Night" was observed last evening by the Dixon Travel Club when they were entertained at the D. E. Helmick home, with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brewster as their hosts. Following a welcome to the guests by Miss Gladys Jamison, club president, Miss Nan McGinnis introduced Major Brewster who has recently returned to this country following 38 months of overseas service with the United States Army. He was stationed in various theaters of war, including Hawaii, North Africa, England, Paris, Belgium and the Philippines.

Major Brewster spent eleven months in North Africa and among his souvenirs on exhibit last night were several pieces of Algerian leather. Following D-Day he was transferred to England where he was stationed for several months. Here he had an opportunity to visit some of the best known china factories, and various pieces which he was able to purchase were on display last evening. No china has been manufactured for domestic consumption since the start of the war, as the government was only permitting export trade in that line. He pointed out that Wedgewood has a very modern factory, equipped with modern machinery, while Minton's factory is an old building where older methods are still used.

The major was stationed in Paris for a month, with headquarters at the University of Paris. Also on display last night were several bottles of Parisian perfume which he was able to buy.

For some time Major Brewster was billeted in an old winery in Liege, Belgium, where a famous crystal factory is located. This factory has been badly damaged by American bombers. From Belgium he brought several pieces of crystal and some handmade lace and handkerchiefs.

When peace came to Europe Major Brewster was transferred to the Engineering Corps and sent to the Philippines. He sailed from Marseilles, France and went via the Panama Canal, to his new station. He returned to this country late last year.

During the social hour which followed, refreshments were served by the Misses Lorraine Missman, Nan McGinnis, Julia Whitley and Beth Hamilton.

Engaged



Mr. and Mrs. Lex Wilson, 83 Galena avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rita, to Merle Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, route 2. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Wilson and her fiancé are graduates of Dixon high school. She also attended the Rockford School of Business while he served 33 months overseas with an infantry outfit prior to being discharged last June. At present he is employed with the Lindquist Construction Co.

Oregon Girl Bride of Ex-Army Man

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Leanne Dale, daughter of Mrs. J. E. Dale of Reno, Pa., formerly of Oregon, and Fred D. Coons of Shreveport, La., has been received.

The service was held in St. Paul's Lutheran church of Evanson Saturday evening, with Rev. George H. J. Ainger officiating. Mrs. Francis Wilde of Oregon and the bridegroom's father attended the couple.

The bride, a graduate of Oregon high school, has been employed at the Fort Sheridan separation center. Mr. Coons recently was discharged after serving in the Army.

They will make their home in Shreveport while Mr. Coons completes a college course in architecture.

GOLDEN WEDDING WAS OBSERVED

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rees of Scarborough observed their golden wedding anniversary Dec. 30 by holding open house for their many friends.

About 125 guests stopped to offer congratulations and best wishes. Three guests, Mrs. Willard Byrd, Mrs. Martha Johnson and Elizabeth Hochstrasser, attended the reception 50 years ago after the couple had been married in Dixon's Nachusa House. Relatives and friends were present from Dixon, Lee Center, Compton, Paw Paw, LaSalle, Shabbona, Steward, Rochelle, Lee and Rockford.

Sons Ellis and Ricien received guests while other relatives and members of the C. O. C. club presided at the refreshment table. Mr. Rees, who farmed for 25 years, now operates a service station.

COMMUNITY PLAYERS SEE "ANNIE'S MAN"

Forty-eight members and guests of the Community Players enjoyed a scramble supper last evening in the organization's club rooms.

Miss Imogene Greer presented a one-act play, "Annie's Man" with Mrs. Charles Brainerd, Mrs. E. V. Hollenbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Leydig, Wayne Thomas, Walter Tike and Clarence Bush participating. Miss Goldie Albright will direct a one-act play at the next meeting of the club Jan. 19.

EMMERTS WILL HOLD OPEN HOUSE JAN. 20

Mr. and Mrs. Howard "Hi" Emmert will hold open house from 2 o'clock until 5 o'clock Jan. 20 at their home, 614 College avenue, in celebration of their 32nd wedding anniversary.

P. E. O. CLUB

Members of the P. E. O. were recently entertained at the home of Mrs. Forrest Trautwein. Mrs. Claude Horton presented a talk on "Our Family Album" while Miss Lois Coppins presided at the tea table.

SKATING PARTY

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. McNicol entertained a group of friends with a skating party Sunday.

DORCAS SOCIETY

Members of the Dorcas Society of the Congregational church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church.

HOMEBUILDERS MEET

The Christian Homebuilders class met last evening with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kling. Twenty-four members were present. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rintoul will be hosts at the next meeting.

ENTERTAINED

Miss Jean Bovey and Miss Barbara Campbell recently entertained in honor of Mrs. M. C. Pires, the former Anna Jean Crabtree.

SHIRLEY ADAMS WEDS HERMAN I. SCHROCK

Miss Shirley Bernadine Adams, daughter of Wilbur Adams of Sterling, became the bride of Herman I. Schrock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schrock of Franklin Grove, at a ceremony read by Rev. Carl Montanus at the Ashton Presbyterian church Jan. 14.

The bride wore a powder blue street length dress with a shoulder corsage of pink roses, sweet peas and baby breath. Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Ansteth attended the couple.

Shirley attended Ashton high school while the bridegroom is an alumnus of Franklin Grove high school. The couple is employed by Borden's in Dixon.

GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL MORNING CONFAB

The first meeting of the new Girl Scout council was held Tuesday morning with a breakfast at the Nachusa hotel. Fourteen were present with Mrs. George Lindquist, past commissioner, and Miss Evelyn Baake, regional director, as guests. Mrs. Lou Hanson and Mrs. Rae Arnold were welcomed as new members.

Miss Mary Malay and Miss Baake gave reports on scouting in the Dixon area. Presiding over the meeting was Mrs. Charles F. Johnston, recently elected commissioner.

MARILYN WARNER IS TWO YEARS OLD

Mrs. Leonard Warner entertained five little guests Monday afternoon at her Oregon home in honor of her daughter Marilyn Sue, who was celebrating her second birthday.

A large cake decorated with pink, white and green icing graced the birthday table. Refreshments of cake, ice cream and chocolate milk were served.

Those present were Sharon Ann Graf, Sandra Nett, Janet England, Duane Mumma, Marilyn's brother Ronald and the mothers of the guests. Others present were Mrs. John Mumma, Mrs. Ray Brooks, and Mrs. DeWitt Warner, maternal grandmother.

WAR MOTHERS

Lee county chapter of American War Mothers will hold their regular meeting Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall.

Service Bits

Cpl. Theodore M. Reuter has been honorably discharged after 30 months overseas with the Army.

Ambrose B. Reuter of the Merchant Marine is now at Sheepshead Bay, N. Y.

Corporal LeRoy F. Sanders, son of Mrs. Ray Conkling, 620 Jackson avenue, Dixon, left Saipan aboard the attack transport USS Clermont on Dec. 27, and was scheduled to land at San Pedro, Cal., about Jan. 11, the commander's office of the Pacific fleet has announced at Pearl Harbor, T. H.

M/Sgt. Weldon V. White received his discharge from the Marine Corps at Cherry Point, N. C., Jan. 11. He enlisted July 9, 1942, and served in the Southwest Pacific for 17 months. While overseas Sgt. White was supervisor of machine shop work for Torpedo Bombing Squadron 222. He returned to the states Nov. 8.

Fish Meal to Prove Important in Jap Diet

Tokyo, Jan. 16—(AP)—Fish meal, similar to that fed poultry and livestock in the United States, may prove an important part of the solution to Japan's food shortage.

"Fish meal is highly regarded as food in Japan and is valuable as a protein and mineral supplement in the Japanese diet," said Lt. Col. R. H. Fiedler of Seattle, chief of the fisheries division of allied headquarters.

Fish meal will be used to enrich a mixture of wheat flour and a special meal, which is a mixture of ground silk worm, locusts and 13 varieties of roots, leaves and plants.

Lee Center

Congregational Church

Rev. Dennis J. Bennett, pastor. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Worship service at 11:00 a. m. Young People's meeting at 7:30 p. m.

Choir rehearsal Friday at 7:30 p. m. at C. A. Ullrich's.

Ladies' Circle met Thursday with Mrs. Grace Maves with nineteen members attending. Routine business was transacted and the annual treasurer's report was read. It was voted that each member should again pay \$2.00 into the treasury in place of working on projects. Mrs. Tillie Brasel will be hostess in February, assisted by Mrs. Linda Brasel, Mrs. Emma Ullrich, Mr. Mina Riley. It is hoped that the 1946 year books will be ready for distribution at this time. The hostesses served dainty refreshments.

Judith Traugher is home for a month from the Illinois Research hospital in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson announce the arrival of a new son at the Amboy hospital Thursday night, Jan. 10. He weighed 7 pounds 12 ounces and has been named Robert Lewis.

Mrs. James Vivian submitted to major surgery in the Dixon hospital Wednesday morning and is making a satisfactory recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Eisenberg and Larry are making their home with the Roy Schnell's on state highway 30.

Margaret Patterson lodge deputy, plans to install the officers of Abigail Rebeck lodge 759 Friday night, Jan. 18. A scramble supper will follow the ceremonies with Minnie Eaton and Marie Larsen on that committee. Members will please bring table service, sandwiches and a dish to pass, picnic style. The Rebeck dance New Year's night was quite well attended and netted a neat sum for the local lodge. The president of the district, Mary Brown, of Prophetstown, and her family were in attendance and Clem and Eva Miller served barbecue sandwiches. A Sterling orchestra furnished the music.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ross received word Friday morning of the passing of their brother-in-law, William Killmer of Ashton who had lived until January 31, would have attained the age of 87 years. January 10 was the 62nd anniversary of their wedding and his death occurred on the 11th. Funeral services will be held Monday at 2 p. m. at the Ashton funeral home with interment in the Ashton cemetery.

Mrs. Herbert Parker, Mrs. W. J. Leake, Mrs. Gordon Lovett and Mrs. W. S. Frost attended the Past Matrons Dessert Bridge club in Amboy Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Longman. Mrs. Ella Leake held high score. Mrs. W. J. Leake second and Mrs.

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William Hull drew the all-out. The club will meet again Tuesday afternoon in the Amboy Masonic building with Mrs. Mary Brown as hostess to get in the scheduled number of meetings for the season. Mrs. W. J. Leake is president of the club.

Lee Center Lodge 146 A. F. & A. M. held its annual installation of officers Friday night with Carl Maves serving as installing officer and D. R. Maynard as installing marshal. Following the ceremonies the master, George King and his wife Eda served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ullrich, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ullrich, August Hallquist of Dixon and Miss Wyvetta Jones attended the all new Hollywood Revue with Sonja Henie at the Chicago Stadium Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blodgett and two daughters of this place and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Welty and children of Harmon were guests at a 7 o'clock dinner Sunday evening of the Roy Ackerson family near Oregon.

Guests entertained Sunday at a family turkey dinner at the Harry Eaton home included Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dierdorff, Chicago Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanneman, Jr. of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanneman, Gilbert Gehant and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Hanneman and Paul Parsons, Mrs. Rogers and family Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hanneman, Jeanie Sue Billings of this area.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leake were Saturday dinner guests at the William Jacob home in Mendota.

Mrs. Jack Thompson and infant son Robert Lewis came home from the Amboy hospital Sunday night.

Wm. Latta, Jr. and family will be moving soon to the 161 ranch, and Mrs. Maude Ford will move to the Jeanblanc house which they occupied.

Mr. and Mrs. Eri Conibear and Burton, Mrs. Harry Kalsted and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Conibear were entertained at dinner Friday evening by the Lyle Frosts.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ullrich attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Albrecht and open house at the Wilbur Dysart home Sunday afternoon.

There was a good attendance at the Legion Auxiliary rag sewing bee at the home of Mrs. C. W. Jeanblanc last week Tuesday. Several ladies, non-members, helped with the sewing and to these and to all who donated rags, the chapter wishes to express their thanks and appreciation. It was voted to serve a lunch of homemade pie, hot hamburger and

wiener sandwiches and coffee at Jerry Ogan's closing out sale next Monday, Jan. 21.

Cpl. George Maves who has served three years in the U. S. Army, has re-enlisted for three more years and was sworn in Dec. 31. He and his family will continue to live in East Lansing, Mich., where he has resided for the past two years. His address is Cpl. George Maves, 711 West Grand River, East Lansing, Mich. He and his family occupy a 5-room house at the above address, which is on a state highway. He is employed in the postoffice of the government college which gives a year's training to 17 year old boys, in veterinary and other courses.

Aussies Flew Home to Get Liquor, Charge

Sydney, Jan. 16—(AP)—A charge that RAAF Kittyhawks, ostensibly on sweeps from Morotai over an island, flew to Darwin on two occasions late in 1944 and returned with loads of liquor was made here today by J. E. Cassidy in defending an Australian fighter ace at a court-martial. The prosecution charged that Group Capt. Oliver (Killer) Caldwell, through his batman, had sold whisky to Americans of the Thunderbolt squadron at Morotai in December 1944 at the equivalent of \$40 a bottle and gin for \$30. Caldwell pleaded innocent to a charge of illegal sale of liquor.

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Miss Galos was a graduate of Dixon high school in 1941. The prospective bridegroom was recently discharged from the Army Air Corps after three years of service.

Calendar

Thursday—Past Noble Grand—Meet for scramble supper, 6:30 p. m.

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A Thought for Today
Though yet beginning was
small, yet thy latter end
should greatly increase.—
Job 5:7.

Begin; to begin is half the
work. Let half still remain;
again begin this, and thou wilt
have finished.—Aunsonius.

"Big Government" Remains
If anyone has been doubting that
"big government," with most of
its controls, is going to be with
us for a long time, President Tru-
man's recent radio talk to the
people should have set him right.
And it is doubtful that the Presi-
dent derived any joy from break-
ing the news.

It has been Mr. Truman's fre-
quently expressed hope that the
federal government might relax
its wartime controls over business
quickly, once victory was achieved,
and cease playing so intimate and
intricate a part in the lives of
its citizens. But the unexpected
turn of events since V-J Day has
shattered that hope. It is evident
now that the government retreat
from business can't and won't pro-
ceed according to plan, at least
in the near future.

Some of the reasons for this can
be blamed on business itself. Pri-
vate enterprise seems to have
grown flabby from its restricted
activity during the war years. It
is out of condition, and has
fumbled a good many chances that
have come its way since it got
back in the game.

So we see controls on prices and
production being restored after
having once been removed. We see
private business, along with the
unions, flopping completely in an
effort to solve labor-management
differences without government in-
terference. Some businessmen who
were crying loudest for a return
to private enterprise now seem to
be standing around helplessly wait-
ing for the government to "do
something" for them.

But all the blame can't be put
on the businessmen or the labor
leaders. Government itself is in
no small measure responsible.
There is a tendency to pass more
laws and appoint more boards
when present laws and boards
don't function sensibly or efficient-
ly. There is hesitancy and inepti-
tude by both the executive and
legislative branches which have
led to open defiance on some oc-
casions, and on others to a para-
lyzing doubt as to what the gov-
ernment's next move would be.

President Truman called for ac-
tion and decision in 1946. These
must come from all sides. The gov-
ernment needs to produce quickly
a wiser and fairer program for
unwinding itself from a wartime
organization than it has shown to
date. Business must demonstrate
a more intelligent use of the free-
doms it has been shouting for.
Labor must show a more reason-
able attitude toward its contribu-
tion to the general good as well
as to labor's good.

And the great pressure group of
the whole public, to which Mr.

Fair Enough

by
Westbrook Pegler

New York—Old Charlie Har-
wood has been replaced as gover-
nor of the Virgin Islands, appar-
ently without even the courtesy
of a kick in the pants to help
him downstairs because Charlie
Ross, President Truman's secre-
tary, in announcing the nomina-
tion of Judge William Henry
Hastie said he didn't know wheth-
er Judge Harwood had sent in his
resignation.

They could have been more
civil, for old Charlie has been a
loyal party plug for many years,
but they probably were sore at
him because he outsmarted Presi-
dent Roosevelt in hanging onto
his stock in Elliott Roosevelt's
radio network when the boss tried
to buy it in for two cents on the
dollar and thus nick him for a
donation of \$24,500 to his son's
alimony. They could be further
miffed, too, by a suspicion that
Charlie blew the whistle after Mr.
Big passed to his honored grave
at Hyde Park, although I can
assure them that he didn't in-
itiate the expose and looked as
though someone had conked him
with a nickel ball-bat when I
walked in and asked him to tell
all. The old judge wasn't for tell-
ing anything, perhaps because he
still felt loyal to Roosevelt, al-
though I can't see how he could
have, after so much double-cross-
ing, but more likely because he
still had some wanly flickering
hope that Truman would be a
good fellow and put him on some
federal bench here in the contin-
ental United States where he
might spend a few years and re-
tire on his money with honor.

As matters stand, the Old
Timer has the satisfaction of
having sniffed the plot when
Roosevelt was out gathering up
his boy's debts for penny-money
and fast-talking the creditors out
of their collateral for the alimony
fund. Moreover, he still has the
value of his \$25,000 in the Texas
State Network. Those are his
assets, credits or satisfactions in
the situation. Against these he
must balance his years of misery
and humiliation as governor of
the islands under Harold Ickes,
who treated him as a clerk and
heckled him about his travel chits
and time off the job to play
bridge with his friends in New
York and Washington and the
frustration of his ambition. Roose-
velt did give him a short trick
as district judge in Panama but
that was supposed to be only an
interim thing and again, when he
took the job in the Virgin Is-
lands, it was understood that this,
too, was just temporary.

I was looking over the treas-
ury's handout of the testimony
in the John Hartford and David
Baird loans to Elliott the other
day, and was reminded that, as

Truman so wisely appealed, can
help things along by making its
thoughts and wishes known to the
government. Congressmen are
human beings who can be talked
to and written to, and who will
listen.

far as I ever was able to learn,
the boys didn't include Harwood's
statement. At the time that they
released the big heap of photo-
stats there was so much reading
to be done in a rush that I didn't
notice this omission and neither
did two of the Republican con-
gressmen of the ways and means
committee who turned in a report
holding that there certainly was a
GYP in the transaction. One of
them then called up the treasury
to ask how come and the fellow
in charge said he was going out
of town for about ten days but
would attend to it when he got
back. My friend said nothing do-
ing on the ten days and to get it
over there right now, but I guess
they must have stood him down
because I wrote him a couple of
times and yet we still don't know
what they asked old Charlie or
what his answers were. I was
particularly inquisitive whether
they asked him whether Roosevelt
sent Harry Hopkins after the col-
lateral when Charlie refused to
give it up to Jesse Jones and
whether they touched on the possi-
bility that he might have expected
some reward. They asked the
others that.

Some other testimony that was
mysteriously missing from my
batch was the early statements of
Sid Richardson and Charles Roes-
er, the Texas oil men, and pals
of Elliott, and two other owners
of this treasure have noted that
these statements are absent from
theirs, too. In the testimony of
these witnesses that was given out
they refer to their earlier state-
ments and one of them speaks of
something that happened after
their return from "the island." There
is no key to this but it
might have been a reference to
the time that Roosevelt went
ashore in the Gulf of Mexico, off
Texas, as the guest of some oil
people, all friends of Elliott and
Jesse, just before some hot oil
cases were settled comfortably. I
am not trying to read meanings
into something I haven't read at
all but I would like to read it and
can't understand why the treas-
ury released part of the stuffs,
selectively, and didn't let us have
it at all, if so.

Well, anyway, old Charlie Har-
wood was one that Mr. Big played
for a sap and couldn't take, al-
though, when Charlie resisted he
put forth a special effort. And
today, Mr. Harwood still has his
\$25,000, loaned to Elliott or his
company, through Elliott's uncle,
Hall Roosevelt, in a rush-act on
the representation that it was a
wonderful investment opportunity
when the fact was that they need-
ed the cash to meet the current
payroll.

I have often wondered just what
Charlie did have in mind, anyway.
He didn't get rich making foolish
investments and here he was pin-
ning for that job on the bench
and Hall gives him the rush and he
flips \$25,000 to the president's
son on unbankable security with-
out even taking the trouble to
make sure whether it was a loan
or an investment and without a
word on paper. What is your
guess?

More than 120,789,900 books
were produced in the United
States during 1933; this was al-
most one book per capita of pop-
ulation.

Funerals

Local—
WILLIAM D. HARTZELL
The funeral of William D. Hart-
zell, 86, retired Ashton rural mail
carrier, whose death at 11:30
o'clock Tuesday morning at his
home, 848 Brinton avenue, was an-
nounced in last evening's Tele-
graph, will be held at 2:00 o'clock
Friday afternoon at the Preston
funeral home, with Dr. Floyd L.
Blewfield, pastor of the First
Methodist church, officiating. Bur-
ial will be in the Ashton cemetery.
Mr. Hartzell was born in Gettys-
burg, Pa., March 11, 1859 and was
married Jan. 26, 1887 to Mary
Messer, who preceded him in death
in 1921. Prior to moving to Dixon
in 1921 he was rural mail carrier
out of the Ashton postoffice for
25 years, and after coming to this
city he was associated with his
son, Lex, in operation of the City
meat market for a like period of
time.

Five children were born to Mr.
and Mrs. Hartzell—Hazel, who
died in infancy, and Lex and
Dwight of Dixon, Roy of Linden,
Ala., and Mahlon of Bay City,
Mich.

Suburban—
MRS. WILLIAM LUTYENS
The funeral of Mrs. William E.
Lutyens, 30, of Rock Falls, the
former Pearl Mae Stroup of West
Brooklyn, who died early Tuesday
morning at the Sterling public
hospital, will be held at 1:30
o'clock Thursday afternoon at the
Wheelock funeral home in Rock
Falls and at 2:00 o'clock at the
Lutheran church in that city, with
burial in the I. O. O. F. cemetery
at Rock Falls.
Mrs. Lutyens was born Jan. 1,
1907 in West Brooklyn, a daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. David R. Stroup,
and was married to William Lut-
yens March 26, 1926. She is sur-
vived by her husband and her par-
ents; four sisters, Mrs. Clarence
Wallace, Mrs. Lowell Williams,
Mrs. Walter Stigal and Mrs. John
Gaffey, all of Rock Falls, and a
brother, Raymond Stroup, also of
Rock Falls.

Deaths

HENRY DRAKE
Mrs. Ben Ryan has been called
to Chicago to attend the funeral
of her brother, Henry Drake who
passed away Sunday morning. The
funeral will be held Thursday af-
ternoon at the Norwood Park Luth-
eran church with interment in Con-
cordia cemetery. The deceased was
born and raised in Marion town-
ship, Lee county.

DR. S. B. PROUTY
Dr. S. B. Prouty of Council
Bluffs, Ia., an outstanding student
in Dixon College during the best
years of that institution's history,
whose scholastic achievements
were generally known, passed
away Dec. 26, last, a letter from
his widow informs Miss Esther M.
Conley, secretary of the Dixon Col-
lege Reunion society.

Local—
JAMES GIBBONS
James Gibbons, 64, of 206 1/2
First street, for the past sixteen
years a painter in this city, passed
away at the Katherine Shaw Be-
thea hospital at 10:30 o'clock Tues-
day evening after a lingering ill-
ness. Funeral services, conducted
by the Rev. Marvin Brown, pastor
of the First Christian church, will
be held at the Staples funeral
home at 1:00 o'clock Thursday af-
ternoon, with burial in New Bed-
ford.

Mr. Gibbons was born in New
Bedford Aug. 19, 1881, a son of
Joseph and Mary Rook Gibbons,
and is survived by two brothers,
Stephen and Louis, both of Dixon.
He never married.

Suburban—
MRS. FLORENCE ELLINGSON
(Telegraph Special Service)
—Mt. Morris, Jan. 16—Mrs. Flo-
rence Ellingson, 42, passed away at
12:25 a. m. Tuesday, at her home
on South Ogle avenue after an ill-
ness of long standing caused by a
heart ailment. She was born Oct.
13 at St. Paul, Minn., and was
graduated from the Humboldt high
school and St. Agatha conserva-
tory of music. She married Richard
Ellingson at St. Paul in 1930 and
moved to Mt. Morris where they
have resided for the past eight
years. Mrs. Ellingson was a tal-
ented musician and gave piano les-

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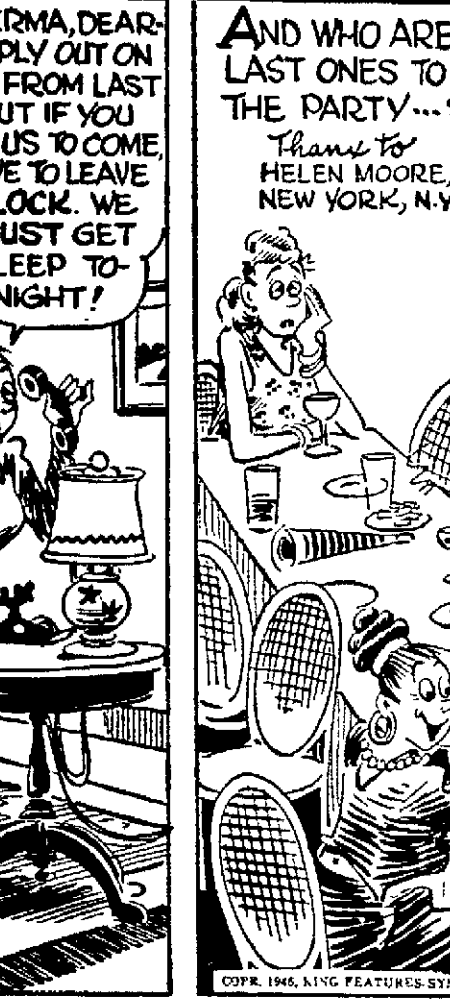
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Accuse Housekeeper in Shellabarger Case

Chicago, Jan. 16—(AP)—Coun-
sel for two granddaughters of Ed-
ward F. Shellabarger, 93, retired
DeKalb wire manufacturer, point-
ed to Mrs. Rowena Potts, his
housekeeper, yesterday as the
"moving force" behind Shell-
abarger's attempt to dissolve a \$2-
000,000 trust fund he set up in
1923.

Attorney C. W. Peterson of
Shabbona, Ill., made the accusa-
tion in his closing statement at
a hearing on the proposed dissolu-
tion of the fund set up for Shell-
abarger and his wife, Rosa, who
died recently in Independence, Mo.

Peterson represented Barbara
Conrad and Donna Stein at the
hearing before Daniel A. Covelli,
master in chancery.

Peterson contended that Mrs.
Potts "knows if the trust is dis-
solved she will benefit substan-
tially under a will Shellabarger
has made under sinister influ-
ence."

"Shellabarger never wanted this
trust abrogated. When we went
to talk with him, they told us 'he
can't understand or answer you
intelligently.'"

Covelli told Peterson he was
privileged to go before Judge
Philip J. Finnegan to seek con-
tempt action on Mrs. Potts' re-
fusal to comply with a recent
subpoena demanding her bank ac-
counts and all checks she has
written since Jan. 1, 1941.

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tions of nature, especially de-
signed to whip in the breeze and
scatter pollen.

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ians 5000 years ago.

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State District Remap Fight in Court Action

Chicago, Jan. 16—(AP)—The
U. S. district court had on file
today a brief prepared by the
state of Illinois in which it con-
tended that a suit to remap state
congressional districts is outside
the court's jurisdiction.

In its answer to the suit which
was filed Jan. 8, the state asked
dismissal of the litigation on the
grounds that a court ruling on
the case would be an assumption
of the powers of the U. S. house
of representatives.

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tial purpose of this proceeding,"
the brief said, "is to control or

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"ON THE CORNER"

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XIV

THE car drove off. Pike stood there. The September air was cool, but he was perspiring a little. This is a fine mess, he thought. His handkerchief with Fay Tudor's lipstick on it. And all for nothing. All he had done was to confuse himself.

He walked along the main street past a tearoom called The Rainbow and he saw her.

She came toward him with her auburn hair shining in the sun. She was wearing a green shark-skin suit and she looked fresh and lovely. She glanced up suddenly and saw him.

"Hello," he said.

"Hello," she said.

"Busy?"

"Yes."

"Don't be so prim," he said.

"I've got something to tell you."

She looked up and down the street.

"I'm listening," she said.

"Not here." He took her arm and steered her back toward The Rainbow. He was very firm about it. She looked up at him and frowned.

He held open the door for her and they found a table in the corner with scalloped paper doilies at each place.

"Coffee?" he asked.

She shook her head.

"I suppose you've heard about Baymen?" he said.

That and a little something to her.

"No."

"He's dead."

She just sat there with her hands clasped so tight that the knuckles showed white.

"He said 'Are you sure?'"

"Quite," he said. "They found him this morning. They think it might have been murder."

"I'll take that coffee, after all," she said.

"John Clay just gave me a lift to town," he said. "He told me

"NATURALLY, they were very cagey about it," Pike went on. "They took all of the advantages of democratic freedom which the undemocratic know how to take. And they were very careful to stay within the law. It is obvious that somehow they must be stopped. For they are very powerful, very wealthy, and very ruthless."

"The O. S. S. worked on the case for weeks until finally they got a break. A girl—a secretary in your uncle's office—finally got through to them that she had information on John Clay which she thought they ought to know."

Pike stopped. Fay Tudor, sat with a peculiar stillness in her eyes. She waited and he let her wait. Then he said:

"Have you detected any errors?"

"I wouldn't know," she said.

"Then all of this is new to you."

"If I knew all that, if it were true, and if Uncle John knew I knew—"

She made a vague little gesture with her hand, stopped it, and picked up her bag. He said:

"You must have suspected—"

"Believe me, Mr. Calvin," She laid a hand on his arm. "I know that Uncle John is no angel. But my mind has been so taken up with—other matters—that I must have missed a lot of sure bets."

"Are you in some kind of trouble?" he asked.

She looked at him, shook her head, smiled and said:

"Brother!"

She started to walk out, then turned back. "Thanks for the coffee and cigarette," she said. "And Mr. Calvin."

"What?"

"This looks like a big job. You'd better get help."

He watched her cross the street and go into the drugstore. In a few moments she came out with a newspaper. A lovely girl. He liked her very much, but there were times when he thought that if someone took her firmly by the shoulders and shook her a bit—

(To Be Continued.)

Big Doc Is First Gridded to Take Sullivan Trophy

New York, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Fe-lix (Doc) Blanchard, Army's great fullback and two-time All-America who has been showered with virtually every conceivable trophy for gridiron prowess, today became the first football player to hold amateur sport's highest honor—the James E. Sullivan award.

Voted annually to the amateur athlete who has done the most to advance the cause of sportsman-ship during the year, the 20-year-old grid ace from Bishopville, S. C., walked off with the 1945 prize with a total of 923 points in the poll conducted by the National A. A. U.

For the second straight time, Alan Ford, Yale's crack swimmer, finished second. The Balboa Flash, who received 432 points this year, trailed mermaid Ann Curtis of San Francisco for the 1944 cup.

Joe Platak, Chicago's nine-time winner of the National handball crown, was third with 336 points and he was followed by Bill Smith, Hawaiian swimmer, 253; Jim Rafferty, the New York A. C.'s in-door mile run champion, 250; Bill Bangert, Missouri track and foot-ball star, 209.

The Sullivan trophy is the 22nd award bestowed on the husky Blanchard since the start of school last fall. Among them were the top football awards, the Heisman, Maxwell and Touchdown club trophies.

Although Blanchard became famous because of his feats on the gridiron, the 200-pound athlete also is one of the ranking stars of the track and field world.

Doc holds the I. C. 4-A indoor and outdoor shotput championship and last May he tossed the iron ball 51 feet 10 1/4 inches to set an Army-Navy meet record.

AWFULLY NICE OF HIM
Bellingham, Wash. — (A P)—This robber was young once him-self. After robbing Charles Long-streth, 16-year-old son of a Bellingham physician of \$15, he asked the lad where he was going. "In-formed he was on his way to get his girl the robber returned \$2 of his loot.

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Ashton Cagers Tip Lee Center, 47-22

With Mark Montanus leading the way with 13 points, Ashton's rangy basketball team scored an easy victory over Lee Center last night at Ashton. 47 to 22. Ash-ton's reserves won the opener, 31 to 22.

Montanus scored on six field goals and a lone charity to head the winners attack, with Moye counting nine points. Les Delho-tal paced the Lee Center offensive with a pair of baskets and a free throw for five points.

Ashton had little trouble in counting their verdict. They as-sumed a lead early in the evening and enlarged it steadily.

Ashton (47)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Montanus, M.	6	10	0	0
Delhotal, L.	4	0	0	0
Moye, C.	4	1	1	1
Shanacker, S.	0	1	0	0
Heath, G.	3	0	2	0
Wright, R.	2	0	1	0
Wagner, J.	2	0	0	0
Winters, G.	0	0	0	0
	22	12	3	1

Lee Center (22)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Delhotal, L.	1	1	0	0
Shanacker, S.	1	0	0	0
Wright, R.	1	0	0	0
Wagner, J.	1	0	0	0
Winters, G.	1	0	0	0
	6	6	0	0

-BOWLING-

Power station No. 3 rolled to a victory over the Machine shop in a N. C. league action last night and posted their league lead. B. Whitehead's 470 was high for the winners, and R. Cox had 452 for the second place Machine shop.

Power station No. 1 took the measure of the Garage team and posted into a third place in the league. The Machine shop, which dropped its match with the En-gineering department by a 2-0 margin.

The Machine shop, which posted a 2-0 victory over the Garage team, took the lead in the league. The Machine shop, which posted a 2-0 victory over the Garage team, took the lead in the league.

High individual game, Worley, 236. John Russell, 236. High individual series, Worley, 625.

Team Records
High team game, Acct. Dept. No. 1, 1033; high team series, Statistical, 2943.

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Pro League Has Troubles on New Grid Slate Dates

New York, Jan. 16.—(AP)—The National Football league's club owners reached for the aspirin bottle and went to the mat with their schedule-making headache again today in the hope of firing one final shot at the young All-America conference.

They've already moved their championship Cleveland Rams to Los Angeles to buck the All-America in one of the "key" grid-iron cities. They've switched their commissioner from mild Elmer Layden to rough-and-ready Bert Bell for their all-out war with the new rival loop.

Now, with a two-week wait in front of them before the Los Angeles Coliseum commission de-cides whether the Rams can use the 100,000-seat stadium for their live home games next season, the moguls only have to make up a powerful gate-drawing schedule before winding up the longest an-nual meeting in their history.

This schedule making has been the big bugaboo of the week. Meeting the All-America head-on in New York, Chicago and Los Angeles—where both loops have clubs—the National leaguers real-ize they're going to have to pre-sent the strongest attractions Sunday after Sunday.

As a result, they've been wrest-ling with the card since last Sat-urday, and started all over again this morning.

Four of the Los Angeles club's five home tussels will be against the Chicago Bears, Chicago Car-dinals, Detroit Lions and Green Bay Packers.

Outstanding development of yesterday's semi-final meeting day was the mogul's move in reaffirm-ing their rule barring contract jumpers for five years. Imme-diate ally the "allies" in the Na-tional Association of Professional Football Leagues—the Pacific Coast league, the Dixie league and the American Association—fell in line and agreed to enforce the same rule.

Basketball
COLLEGE
(By The Associated Press)
Missouri 44, Kansas State 34.
Southern Illinois Teachers 45, Wheaton (Ill.) College 43.
Southern Illinois Normal 56, Eastern Illinois Teachers 46.
Illinois Wesleyan 46, Illinois Normal 29.
Michigan State 43, Wayne 37.

HIGH SCHOOL
(By The Associated Press)
Champaign 49, Clinton 23.
Mt. Pleasant 43, Urbana 28.
Vandalia 35, Hill 30.
Salem 50, Morrisville 19.
Salem 50, Mt. Carmel 42.
Roseville 36, Monmouth 29.
Hartem (Rockford) 52, St. Thomas (Rockford) 36.
Kirkland 54, Belvidere 36.
Marengo 35, Austin (Freeport) 25.
Winnebago 36, Stillman Valley 29.
Morrison 50, Erie 30.
Polo 32, Forreston 30.
Ashton 47, Lee Center 22.
Normal Comm. 31, University High (Nor-mal) 27.
Pontiac 74, Morris 23.
Davenport, Ia., 34, Rock Island 31 (over-time).
Joliet 45, Kankakee 38.
Collinsville 60, Madison 53.
Tetkoff 43, Wheaton 43.
Peoria Manual 42, Canton 32.
Peoria Spaulding 46, Peoria Central 25.
Kewanee 44, Wethersfield 32.

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Doster Holds Lead in Big Ten Scoring

Chicago, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Bob Doster, University of Illinois for-ward, still leads the Big Ten con-ference scoring race with 79 points, but it will take a lot of convincing before he can show two other players they are not in line for the title.

The two are Jim McIntyre, Minnesota center, and Max Morris, Northwestern forward who was an all-conference center last year.

Doster has scored 79 points in six games for an average of 13.1 points per game, official statis-tics show. But McIntyre and Morris have scored 45 points each in three games, for a 15-point average. Right now, those two rank fifth for Big Ten scoring honors, so far as points are con-cerned. However, their average per game is tops.

Morris paced the circuit in scor-ing more than half the season last year, but finally surrendered the scoring lead to Dick Ives, forward of the champion Iowa team. This year big Max, star end on the Wildcat football team, was moved up to forward to make room for Leroy King, a six-foot seven inch center for Northwestern.

Doster also trails Bob Cook, Wisconsin forward, in the average-per-game column. Cook has scored 59 points in four games for an average of 14.7 points per start. Behind him is Glen Selbo of Mich-igan with an 11-point average in five games and Ray Snyder of Ohio State, with a 12.5 point av-erage in four games.

The leaders:
Player, Team, Pts, G, Avg
Doster, U. Ill., 79, 6, 13.1
Cook, Wisc., 59, 4, 14.7
Selbo, Mich., 11, 5, 11.0
Snyder, O. State, 12.5, 4, 12.5
McIntyre, Minn., 45, 3, 15.0
Morris, N. W., 45, 3, 15.0
Kralavansky, C. Ind., 15, 1, 15.0
Wickham, F. Ind., 13, 1, 13.0
Harrison, F. Mich., 13, 1, 13.0
DeGraw, F. Cal., 13, 1, 13.0

Lee County Grades Meet in Tournament

With Amboy, Paw Paw, Lee Center and Ashton victors in the opening round of the Lee county grade school tournament Monday night, teams await the opening of second round action tonight at Steward, with Amboy's entry scheduled to go against Ashton and Paw Paw meeting the Lee Center quintet.

In opening round play, Amboy whipped Harmon, 25 to 6. Paw Paw dropped Steward, 27 to 3. Lee Center emerged victorious over Compton, 35 to 8, and Ashton de-feated Franklin Grove, 39 to 8.

The finals are slated for the Lee Center gym.
Losers now compete in a con-solation round, with Harmon fac-ing Steward, and Compton going against Franklin Grove. Games are scheduled for 6, 7, 8 and 9 o'clock each night.

Paging OPA

Portland, Ore. —(AP)—A landlady here is wondering whether it pays to rent rooms.

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More Coming Back Now Than Are Going Into Service Life

New York, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Baseball players are coming out of the service faster than they were being inducted a year ago when the future of the game hung by a thread. More than 180 for-mer GIs have returned to their National league clubs since the close of the 1945 season.

Heading the list are such well-known stars as Perry Moore, Max Lamer, and Marry Walker, of the St. Louis Cardinals, Johnny Mize and Hal Schumacher of the New York Giants, Johnny Vander Meer and Ray Mueller of the Cincin-nati Reds, Ron Northey of the Phillies, Bama Rowell and Johnny McCarthy of the Boston Braves, Elbie Fletcher of Pittsburgh and Pete Reiser, Pee Wee Reese and Billy Herman of Brooklyn.

A survey of current National league rosters by Charles Segar, newly-appointed league publicist, showed the names of 336 players who had been in service. Some returned during the 1945 season but a majority of them donned civvies since the World Series.

Not all of the demobilized vets are in the Terry-Moore-Johnny Mize headline class but several of them probably will mean more to their clubs than the more highly publicized older stars.

The Giants welcomed back pitcher Mike Budnick who has ex-cited rave notices from all the scouts in Horace Stoneham's 42nd street office.

Brooklyn has a rookie mound phenom in Joe Hatten, recently discharged from the navy, and Branch Rickey believes ex-GI Les Burge has the makings of a "great hitter".

Each club has its quota of pros-pects to give the wartime major leaguers a battle and, even before the competition starts, releases have been handed out right and left.

Within the last month over 30 National league players were shunted back to the minors or given their unconditional releases. Most of them were wartime "fill-ins" but the list also included Cliff Melton of the Giants, Steve Mes-ne-rof the Reds, Al Rubeling and Xavier Rensigno of the Pirates and Debs Garms of the Cardinals.

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Ohio Rally Defeats Mendota's Quintet

Last period scoring by Dick Meyers brought Ohio a 37 to 31 victory over Mendota in the Men-dota gym last night. Mendota had rallied in the third period to overtake Ohio and lead through the first part of the final quarter. Bill King scored 20 points for Ohio, with Meyers counting 10 and Dale Maloy was high for Men-dota with 13, scored on five field goals and three free throws.

Ton Anderson got a field goal in the third quarter and it repre-sented all of Ohio's scoring as Mendota tallied nine points to as-sume the lead, which they held until Meyers broke loose in the final two minutes of the game.

Ohio (37)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Meyers, D.	10	10	0	0
King, B.	10	0	0	0
Maloy, D.	5	0	0	0
Anderson, T.	2	0	0	0
Stewart, J.	0	0	0	0
Brown, G.	0	0	0	0
B. Anderson, G.	0	0	0	0
	27	10	0	0

Mendota (31)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Maloy, D.	5	0	0	0
King, B.	3	0	0	0
Anderson, T.	2	0	0	0
Stewart, J.	0	0	0	0
Brown, G.	0	0	0	0
B. Anderson, G.	0	0	0	0
	10	0	0	0

Fights

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Willie Pen, 129, Har-rod, Conn., knocked out Johnny Vargo, 135, Rochester, N. Y., (2), non-title, by a 10-round unanimous decision.

BRIDGE, N. Y.—Outpointed Fritz Zane 157, Pittsburgh, 110, Johnny Forte 137, Philadelphia, knocked out Ted Kestelberg 129, Detroit, 12.

ELIZABETH, N. J.—The Fritz 137, Newark, N. J., outpointed Victor Flores, 130, Mexico City.

SAYEN, Mass.—Low Jenkins, 130, Sweetwater, Texas, knocked out Jerry Zula 110, Chelsea, Mass. (2).

H. H. FORD, Conn.—Robb, 1 Polowitzer, 125, East Hartford, outpointed Don Ma-drin, 130, Mexico (2).

NEW YORK—Joey Tolan, 125, Spokane, Wash., outpointed Benny May, 125, Mon-tral (5).

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Brooklyn Quint Edges Harmon Team, 47-42

West Brooklyn, led by the Ge-hant brothers, scored a victory over Harmon, 47 to 42, last night at West Brooklyn. John Gehant scored six times from the field (or 12 points), while Ed Gehant to-taled 20 points on 10 field goals. Lehman, Harmon center, was high for the losers with 18 points.

West Brooklyn (47)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Gehant, J.	12	0	0	0
Gehant, E.	10	0	0	0
Lehman, L.	10	0	0	0
Sherrill, S.	2	0	0	0
Haas, G.	0	0	0	0
	34	0	0	0

Harmon (42)	fg	ft	pf	tp
Loose, E.	12	0	0	0
Steffens, J.	10	0	0	0
Wickstead, J.	2	0	0	0
Smallwood, R.	0	0	0	0
	24	0	0	0

Polo Victor Despite Forreston's Drive

Polo high school's basketball team continued its not pace through high school quintets of this section last night with a 32 to 30 decision over Forreston at 10. It was only the fourth loss in 14 starts for Forreston, whose last period rush failed by two points.

Capt. Tom Buck and Ed Raley paced the victorious Marcos with nine points each, with Swale counting 14 for Forreston. Polo took a commanding lead in the third stanza when they tallied 14 points to the losers' six.

OUTDOES HERSELF

Twin Falls, Idaho — (A P)—Farmer J. W. Atkinson said that one of his white leghorn hens, ever since she began laying, regularly has yielded double yolk eggs. Then she outdid herself by laying a triple-yolk that weighed four ounces.

Question

Great Falls, Mont.—(A P)—A passerby noticed smoke pouring from a corner mailbox and called firemen.

Mail in the box was damaged little, but the question annoying postal authorities is—who used the box as an ash tray?

Mikan Reclaims the Top College Rung

New York, Jan. 16.—(AP)—Running wild for 51 points in his last two games against Western Kentucky and Murray (Ky) Teachers, Big George Mikan of DePaul's Blue Demons has re-gained the lead in the national collegiate individual high scoring race, an Associated Press tabula-tion showed today.

Mikan's spurge gave him 288 points to oust Marshall's Bill Hall who took over first place with 243 points a week ago. Hall connected for 38 points in two games since then, but slipped to second at 281.

Although ahead by only seven points in total points Mikan has averaged 22.15 points for 13 games, compared to Hall's 15.61 for 18 contests. The DePaul star has rimmed 110 field goals and 68 free throws to Hall's 132 double-deckers and 17 charity tosses.

This week's top 10 scorers as reported to the Associated Press:
Name, School, Pts, G, Avg
Mikan, DePaul, 288, 13, 22.15
Hall, Marshall, 243, 18, 13.50
Embery, Western Ky., 20, 11, 1.82
Wolfe, California, 16, 10, 1.60
Oran, Bowling Green, 15, 10, 1.50
Tonkovich, Marshall, 15, 9, 1.67
Pasco, Texas Christian, 15, 7, 2.14
Moreschillo, N. Mex Mines, 12, 6, 2.00
Brown, Evansville (Ind.), 12, 5, 2.40
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I want to take this means of thanking all of my customers for the favor of their patronage and also assure them that the same high quality clothing and same fair policies will be a part of the new store.

Will all persons having accounts kindly make set-tlement on or before January 26th.

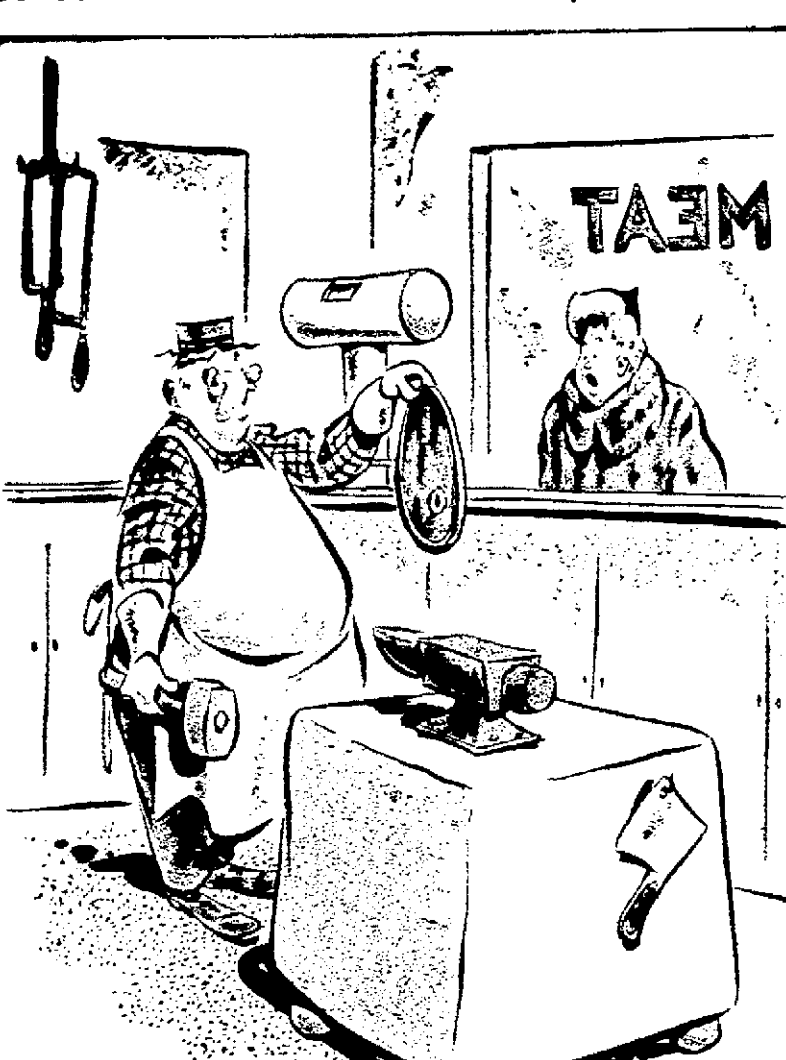
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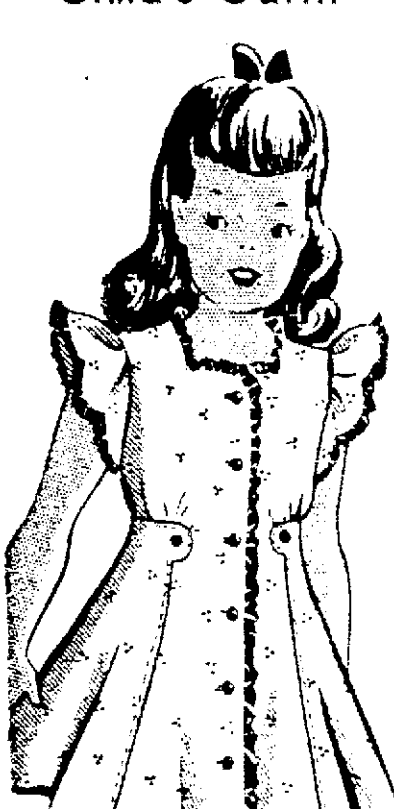
Mr. and Mrs. Russel Group and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sandrock motored to Chicago Saturday to attend the ice carnival show at the Chicago Stadium. They report its as a grand entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dysart held open house Sunday honoring the golden wedding anniversary of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Albrecht of Dixon. Many friends called, gifts, cards and good wishes were extended.

Requests for Material

The ladies of the Brethren Church aid society have been busy all fall and winter sewing and making quilts for the needy people of Europe. They are working and sending their donations through church relief organizations, and are sure of all safe delivery to the needy. They have almost exhausted their supply and are asking for donations of any material that can be worked into warm quilts. Please notify Rev. Mr. Cover if you have any. They have completed and sent around

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terained Mrs. Minnie Cupp, John, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cupp, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Drew and daughter, with Sunday evening supper.

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The Tuxis group of the Presbyterian church will meet Thursday evening at the church at 7:45 p. m. Miss Dorothy Bartlett will be the leader.

Circle One W. S. C. S.
Thursday afternoon the J. H. Bratton home was the scene of a pleasant gathering of Circle One members. During the business session the membership decided to sell the famed vanilla about which inquiries have been received. There are still a few hangers left for those needing this handy device. This circle is pleased to announce the gift of \$5 to the George O. Robinson Home in Puerto Rico. This home is a special project of the W. S. C. S. for the year 1946. Mention was made of the food sale which the W. S. C. S. will sponsor Jan. 19. Much discussion ensued concerning the spring project of the general society and the chairman, Maud Taylor, called a meeting of all departments represented to formulate plans for this affair. Hostesses served refreshments.

Bake Sale
There will be a food and bake sale Saturday, Jan. 19 at Kelly's store. The committee requests all things for the sale to be at the store by 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Mrs. Charles Ives is chairman.

— Stationery for social purposes with name and address printed or engraved there on. Also Forms which are found most convenient by particular women. See our samples. B. F. Shaw Printing Company, established since 1881.

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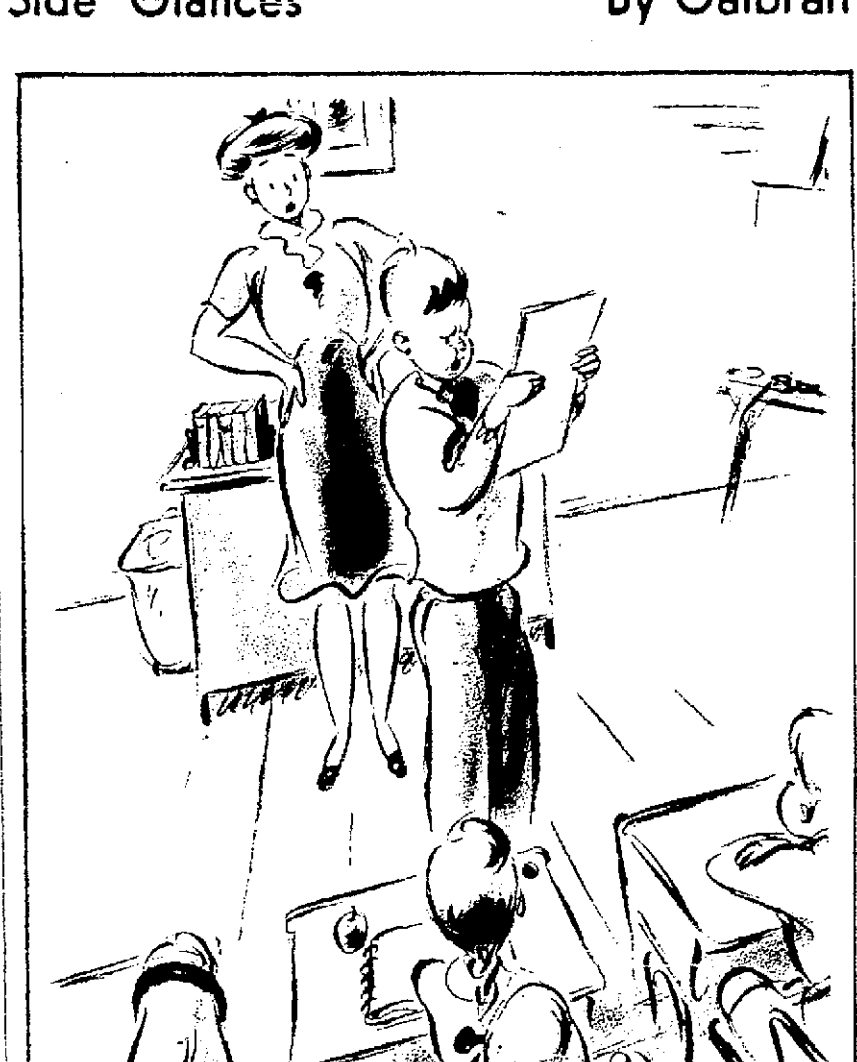
ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

1. Ponder	4. Ponder
2. Ponder	5. God of love
3. Ponder	6. Rhode Island (ab.)
7. Tangles	8. Upon
9. Latest	10. Enrage
11. Mimics	12. Ascend
13. Musical	14. Thus
15. Political units	16. Nautical (ab.)
17. Runner on	18. Instrument
19. Electrical unit	20. Utter
21. S-shaped worm	22. Beg
23. Calyx leaf	24. Exist
25. Guided	26. Son (Scott.)
27. Blackbird of cuckoo family	28. Concerning
29. Any	30. Cooked
31. Transported	32. Damage
33. Roman date	34. Rodent
35. Not as much	36. Citrus fruit (ab.)
37. Male sheep	38. Poem
39. Fruit	40. Sun god
41. Foot bottoms	42. True
43. Sedate	44. Half-em
45. Urge	46. Copy
47. Requite	48. Jerusalem
49. Preposition	50. Millifard (ab.)

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Side Glances

By Galbraith



"There have been quite a few strikes here and there, but these have not yet spread to the schools in spite of the heavy homework!"

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

They'll Help



ME? GENERAL-MANAGING A BENEFIT SHOW? WHY, HON, I'M A BUSY MAN!

QUIT!

BUT BOOTS—THE WAY THINGS ARE GOING AT THE OFFICE—

HM-M!

OH, LET'S TELL 'EM OFF, BOOTS—AND GET SOME OF THOSE SMOOTH YOUNG MEN OF THE LITTLE THEATRE GROUP TO HELP US OUT!

LET'S SEE, THE JUGGLERS COME IN HERE—

M-MMM! A THOUSAND TICKETS AT TEN BUCKS APECE!

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RED RYDER

She's Hooked



AN INVESTMENT WILL MAKE US PARTNERS—ANY? YOU CAN SEE THIS GOLD MINE IS A BONANZA!

TROUBLE IS, MARK, MOST OF MY MONEY IS TIED UP IN REAL ESTATE! IT WILL TAKE TIME TO GET IT—

UM-H!

BUT I DO HAVE A LITTLE I CAN LET YOU HAVE AS SORT OF AN OPTION!

YOU'RE A SLY BUSINESS WOMAN, ANITA! AN OPTION WILL KEEP AN INTEREST FROM ANYBODY ELSE!

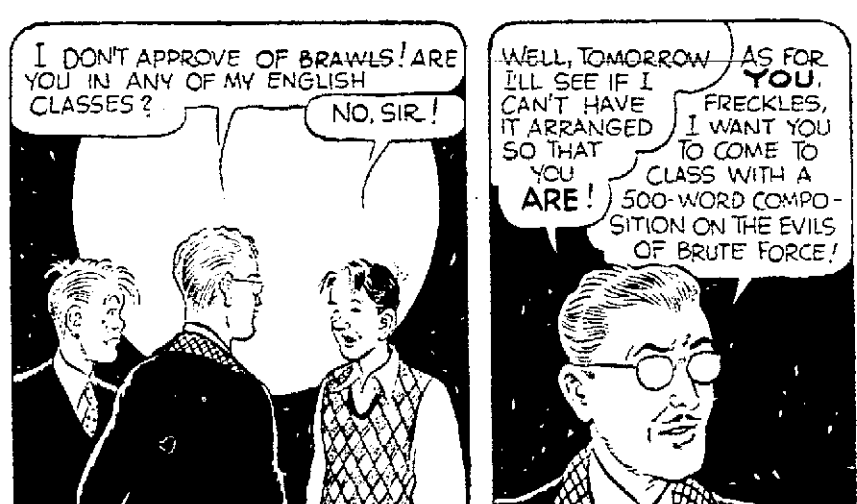
I'LL DO IT! SHAKE!

A LITTLE IS GOOD ENOUGH FOR NOW!

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

A Bit Touchy



I DON'T APPROVE OF BRAWLS! ARE YOU IN ANY OF MY ENGLISH CLASSES?

NO, SIR!

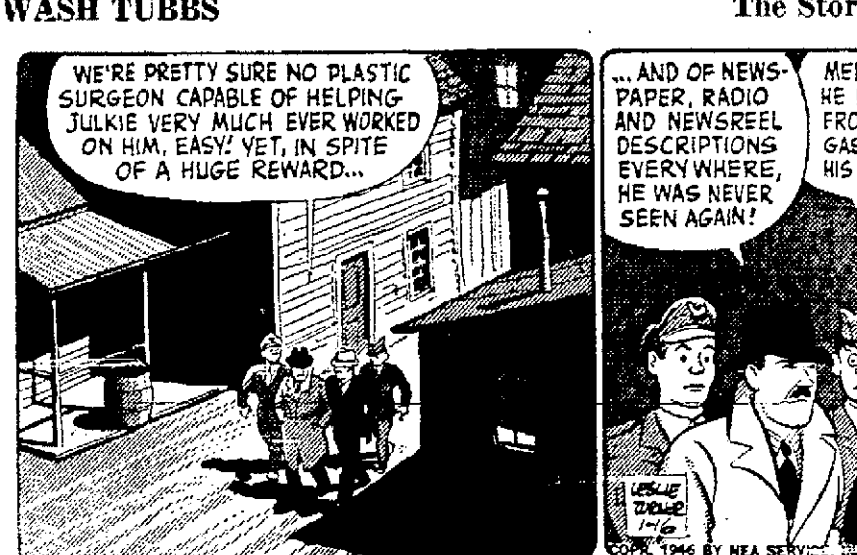
WELL, TOMORROW I'LL SEE IF I CAN'T HAVE IT ARRANGED TO COME TO CLASS WITH A CLU ARE!

AS FOR YOU, FRECKLES, I WANT YOU TO COME TO CLASS WITH A 500-WORD COMPOSITION ON THE EVILS OF BRUTE FORCE!

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WASH TUBBS

The Story Unfolds



WE'RE PRETTY SURE NO PLASTIC SURGEON CAPABLE OF HELPING JULKIE VERY MUCH EVER WORKED ON HIM, EASY! YET, IN SPITE OF A HUGE REWARD...

...AND OF NEWS-PAPER, RADIO AND NEWSREEL DESCRIPTIONS EVERYWHERE, HE WAS NEVER SEEN AGAIN!

MEBEE HE DIED FROM TH' GASH ON HIS FACE!

NO, LUTHER! A FEW YEARS LATER, ANOTHER RANSOM NOTE, IDENTIFIED AS GENUINE, WAS RECEIVED FROM HIM!

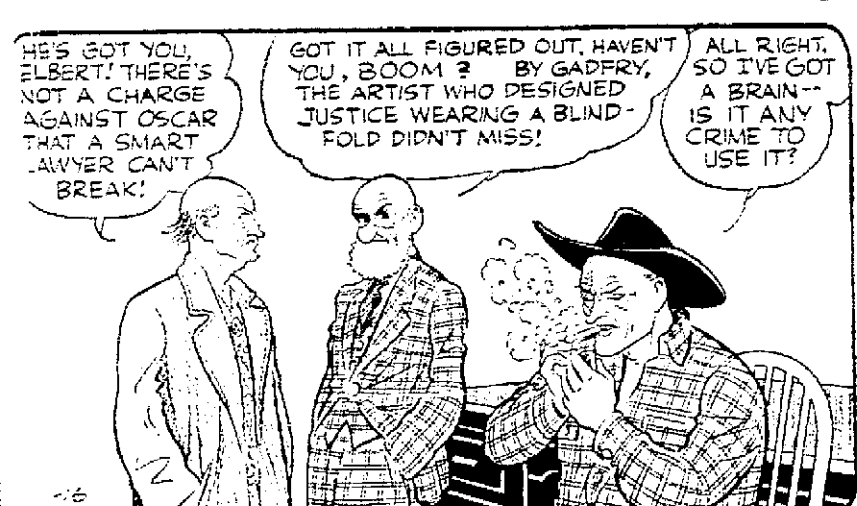
WHAT ABOUT THE LITTLE GIRL HE KIDNAPED, HAL—EVA SASSO?

SHE'S ALIVE, I THINK—AND LIVING HERE, TOO! NOW, LUTHER, SHOW ME THE GRAVE OF JEROME BLEEKE!

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ALLEY JOE

Octopus? Oh, Yes!



HIS GOT YOU, EBBERT! THERE'S NOT A CHARGE AGAINST OSCAR THAT A SMART LAWYER CAN'T BREAK!

GOT IT ALL FIGURED OUT, HAVEN'T YOU, BOOM? BY GAD, THE ARTIST WHO DESIGNED JUSTICE WEARING A BLIND-FOLD DIDN'T MISS!

ALL RIGHT, SO I'VE GOT A BRAIN—IS IT ANY CRIME TO USE IT?

THE WAY YOU DO, YES! BUT I'LL SEE YOUR FAT NECK STRETCHED YET!

OKAY, BUT TILL THEN, LET'S SEE WHAT CAN BE DONE TO GET OSCAR OUT OF A BAD JAM!

SURE, BUT FIRST TELL ME, WHAT'S AN OCTOPUS GOT TO DO WITH ALL THIS?

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VIC FLINT

And Not Bad Looking



I don't know how long I stood rubbing at the blond. Anyway...

HERE I AM, MR. FLINT. DID YOU GET LOST, OR WERE YOU ADMIRING THE-ER-SCENERY?

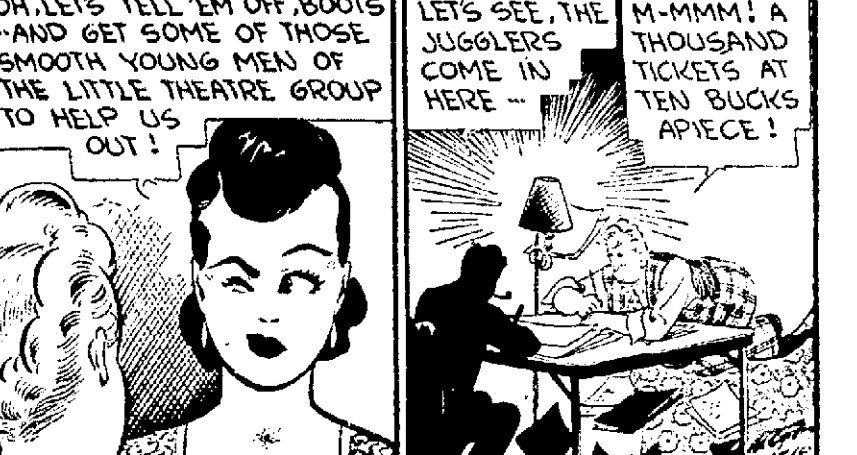
EH? OH, SURE... I HAD A LITTLE ERRAND, LIBBY. HERE'S YOUR MONEY. WHAT DO YOU LIKE IN THE NEXT RACE?

ROYAL SPUR WAS YOUR HUNCH, AND THE LAST RACE IS BEING RUN.

I must have sounded like a dope. I was remembering where I'd seen the blond before.

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By Edgar Martin



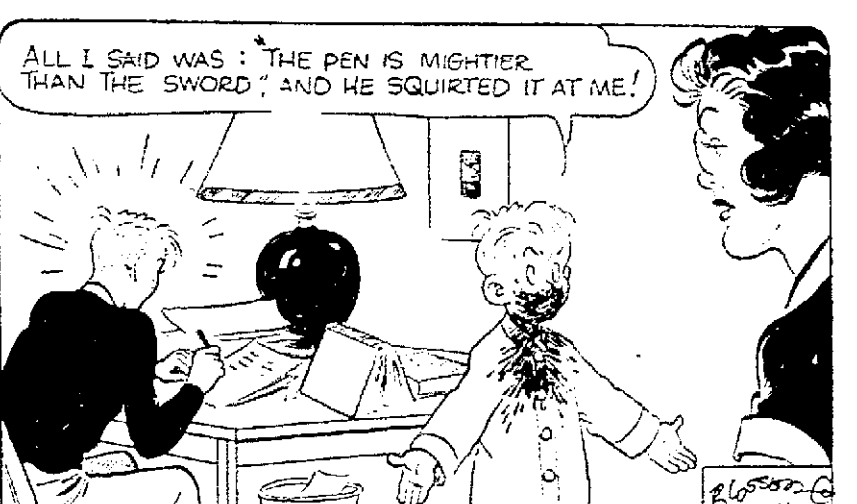
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By Fred Harman



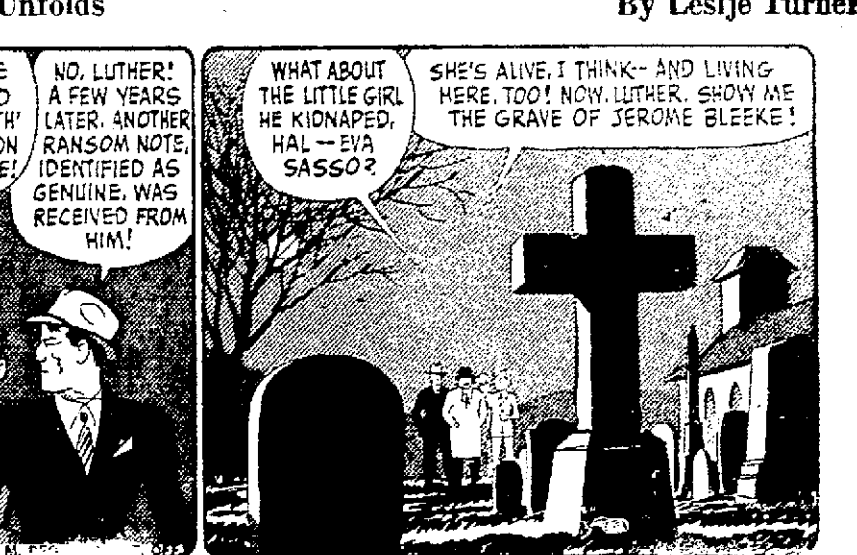
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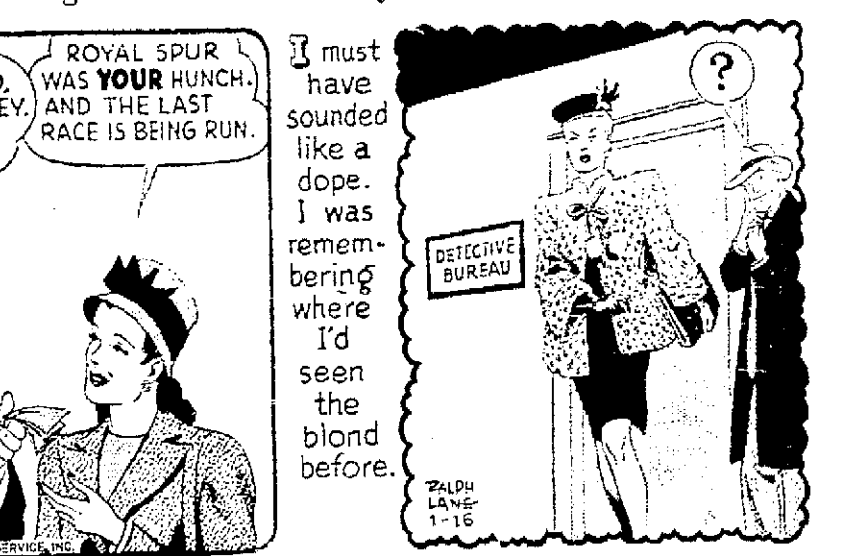
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By Al Capp



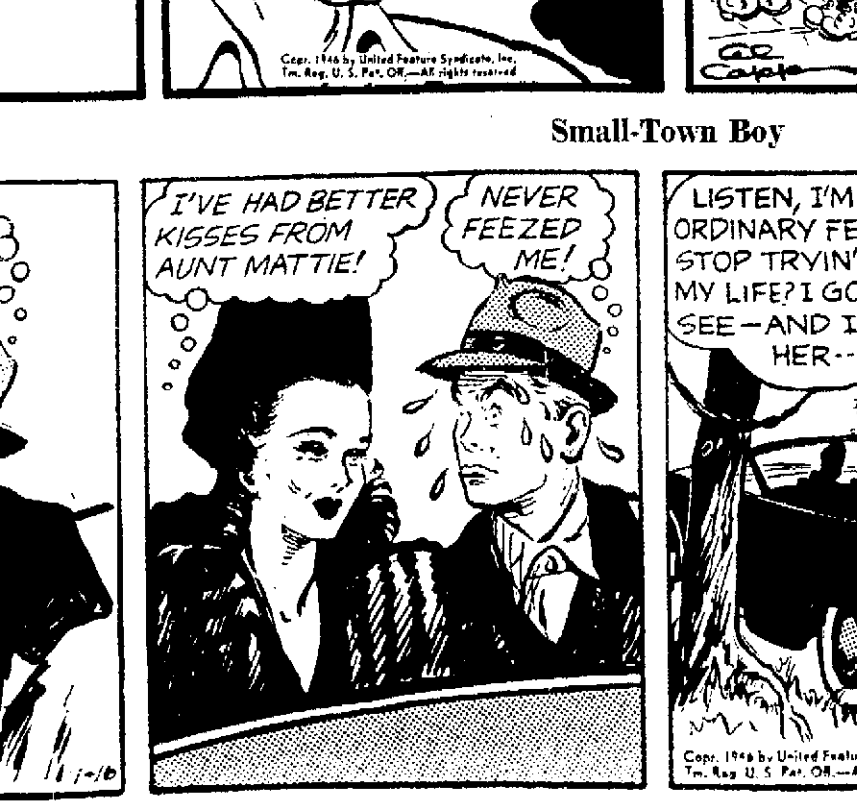
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Like All of Us



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Small-Town Boy



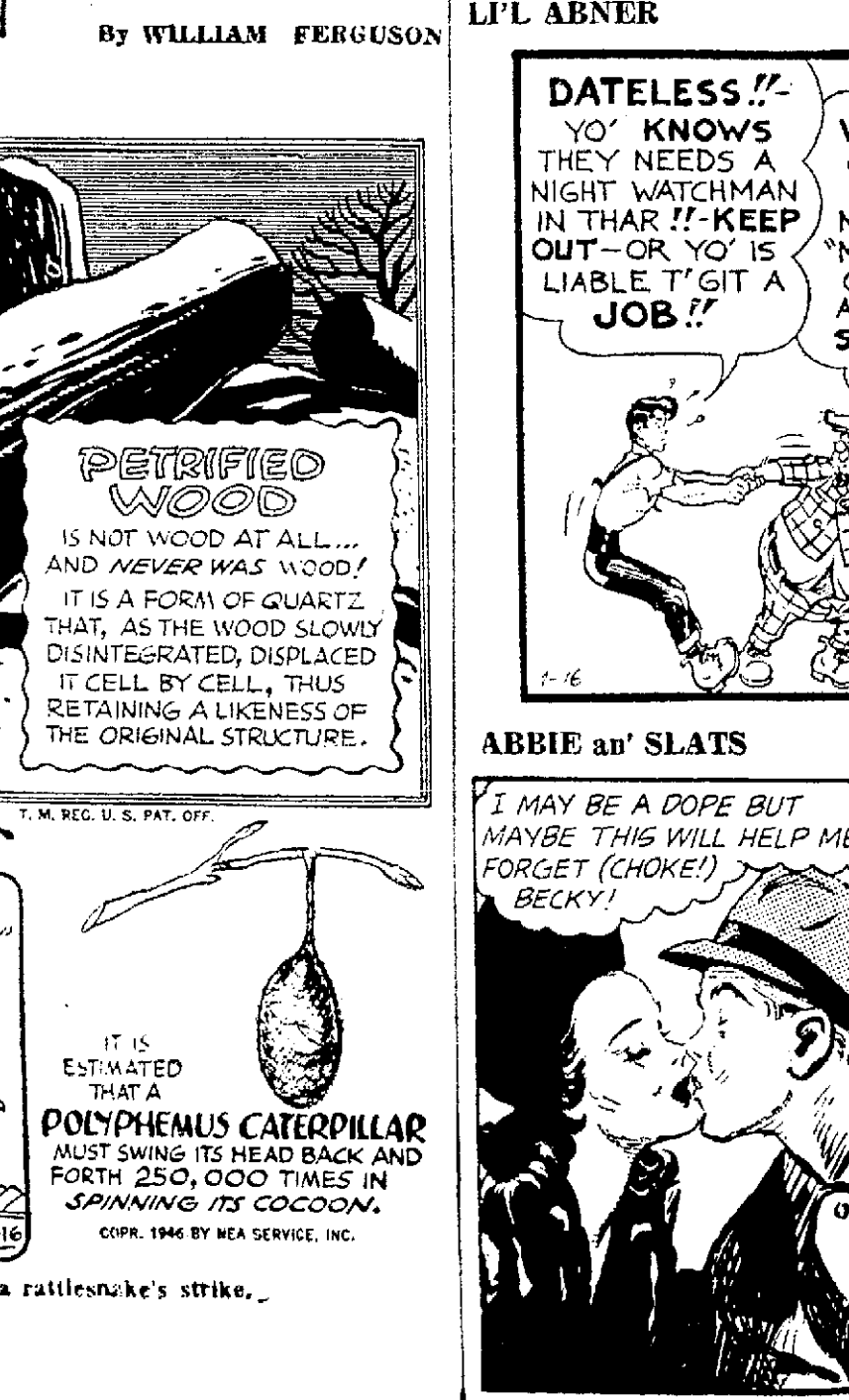
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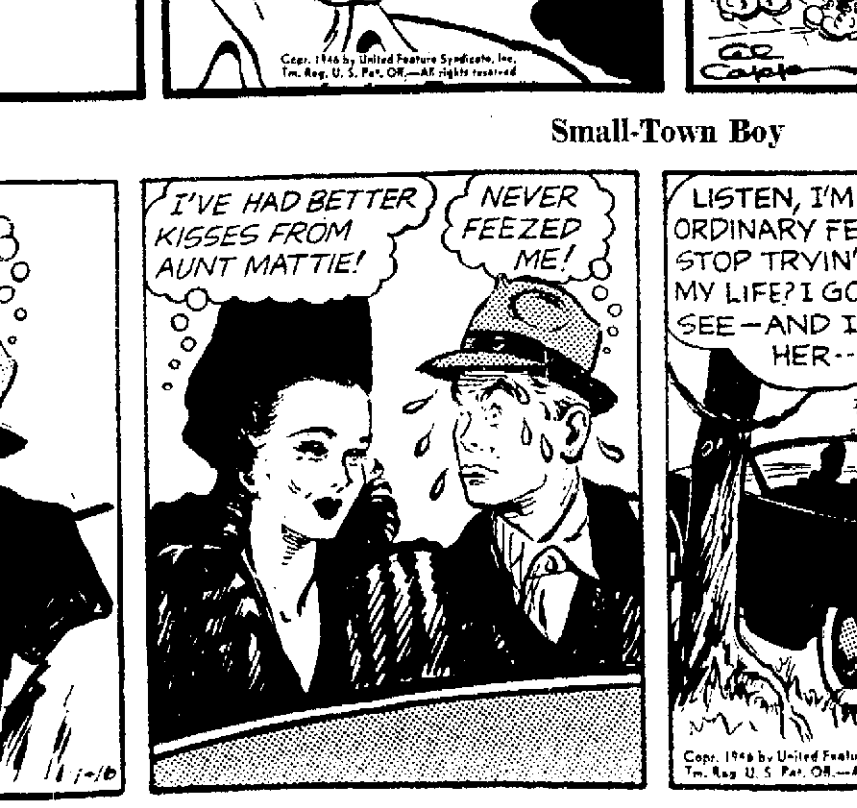
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ABIE an' SLATS



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FARM HELP wanted Modern house, water and electricity, premium wages. Phone Ashton 72—1 long and 3 short.

WAITRESS WANTED
Apply in person
EVANS COFFEE SHOP
Hotel Dixon

WANTED: Adult man or woman, to do cleaning work in Dixon office. Write Box 50, care paper.

WANTED: MAN for delivery and work in grocery store. Steady work. Phone 155.
CLARENCE SPROUL GROCERY

WANTED: Agent for permanent position, guaranteed pension at 65; John Hancock Insurance Company—specializing savings, endowments, and annuities, after going through our school. Give us history past 10 years—family responsibility. P. O. Box 777, Peoria, Illinois.

WANTED: Lady to do washings and ironings for family of 3 adults in her own home. No fancy ironing. Write Box 43, care paper.

MEN: Also Man and Wife. Must have car, calling in rural Ogle County. Steady, no investment. Advancement, earnings will surprise you. Veterans, if you are looking for something good, see Mr. Fuller, Hotel Nachusa. Friday only, 1 to 4 p. m.

Wanted: EXPERIENCED BEAUTY OPERATOR Full or part time. Call 128, Franklin Grove, Ill.

SALESMAN—Big opportunity in home improvement field. Complete training for qualified applicants. Earnings while learning. Large Illinois contractor opening Dixon office. Needs salesmen for surrounding territory. Interviews between 10 and 11 a. m. AIRTITE INSULATION CO. City National Bank Bldg.

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WANTED: Lady for general housework, one or two days per week.
PHONE B1373

PERSONAL

WANTED:
RELIABLE MAN
for ice route and coal delivery. Permanent job. Good pay. Apply in person—
DIXON DISTILLED WATER ICE COMPANY
532 E. River St.

MAN or WOMAN
Wanted to clean pans. Apply in person
PHILLIPS BAKE SHOP

BARBER Wanted at Once! Steady work. Write L. I. McQuillan, 320 Washington St., Oregon, Ill.

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Good hours—good wages. Apply in person
IDEAL CAFE

Coffee and grocery route open in Dixon and vicinity. Guaranteed salary, commission and bonus. Car furnished and all expenses paid. For particulars see Mr. Lund, Nachusa Hotel, anytime after 5:00 p. m.

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FOR SALE: Place orders now on all buildings for ensuing year. Hog houses; corn cribs; grain bins; two, three, and four room rectangular buildings with bath; also, any size laying houses; large, 20 by 88 ft. long. They are ready built for erection. Phone B1218, 1123 W. Third St. Edw. Shippert.

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7 mi. E. of intersection of highways 52 and 30, on
MONDAY, JAN. 21
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Livestock, Machinery, Hay, Household Goods.
Terms Cash
J. P. OGAN, Owner

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24 FEEDER PIGS Weight about 50 lbs. Phone 659, or F4 after 6 p. m.

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Ladies' brown 3/4 length coat, fur trimmed, size 14. Excellent condition.
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PUBLIC SALE

CLOSING OUT SALE
On the Wilbur Brooke Farm, 8 mi. southwest of Oregon and 4 mi. north of Grand Detour.
FRIDAY, JAN. 18—12 Noon
Horses, cattle, machinery, oats, hay, corn, straw.
OWNERS: Edward Aurand Donald Brooke

CLOSING OUT SALE
4 mi. N. Dixon, 1 mi. S. Woodstock, on U. S. 52
TUESDAY, JAN. 22—10 A. M.
Cattle, Machinery, Hay, Household items.
DeWitt Morgan, Owner
Wheymeyer & Rutt, Auctioneers.
R. L. Warner, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE of house and furnishings owned by the late W. W. Woolley at 415 Dement Ave. The household equipment will be sold on
THURS., JAN. 21, 1 P. M.
The house will be sold on
SAT., JAN. 26, 2 P. M.
Ira Rutt, Auctioneers.
Warner & Warner, Attys.
Glenn H. Dysart, Executor

PUBLIC AUCTION
The undersigned will sell at public auction all the farming equipment and livestock belonging to the Estate of the late Oliver L. Gehant, Jr., on
THURSDAY, JAN. 31, 1946
Commencing at noon.
The equipment consists of nearly every farm machine used on the modern farm and is practically new. There are two tractors, corn picker, combine, 4-row planter, elevator, pick-up truck, Hammer-mill, discs, plows, drags, seeders, corn sheller, flare box wagons mounted on rubber, individual hog houses and feeders, etc. No matter what you may need on the farm, you are sure to find it at this sale.
Sale will be held in West Brookline at the Sale Barn location. The building itself will be sold
OLIVER L. GEHANT
Administrator
John N. Gentry, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE at Pine Hill Gas Station, Rt. 30 1 1/2 mi. N. E. Lee Center
FRIDAY, JAN. 18, 1 P. M.
Cattle, Machinery, Hay, Household items.
ELMER A. MAUS, Owner
Gentry, Auctioneers. Barnes, Clerk

PUBLIC SALE

Brookville Consignment Sale
C. E. WEHMEYER
Auctioneer, Peoria, Ill.
Every Wednesday.

CLOSING OUT SALE

7 mi. E. of intersection of highways 52 and 30, on
MONDAY, JAN. 21
11:30 A. M.
Livestock, Machinery, Hay, Household Goods.
Terms—Cash.
J. P. OGAN, Owner

CLOSING OUT SALE, 1 mi. E. of Franklin Grove, Thursday, Jan. 21, 12.00 noon. 19 head cattle; farm machinery; household goods. Peter Mong, Owner.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE at Floyd C. Bennett farm, 5 miles N. E. of Dixon, Ill.
THURS., JAN. 24—1:30 P. M.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE
George F. Schaefer Estate, in Ashton, Ill., on
THURSDAY, JAN. 21, 1946
Household property sale, 1 p. m. Real Estate sale, 2:30 p. m. Modern 8-rm. house, oak floors, hot water heat with stoker, 2-car garage. General line of furniture, including player piano and walnut buffet.
Fred G. Schaefer, Lillie L. Vogel, P. G. Charters, Clerk
Executors.
Roe Auction Service

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STERLING ILL.
THURSDAY, JAN. 17
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30 good calves, steers and heifers, mixed, mostly Whitefaces. 20 steers, wt. 850 to 1000 lbs.
200 LOCAL CATTLE
Dairy cows and heifers. Large assortment of corn fed butcher stock, veal calves, and stock bulls of all kinds.
150 to 200 HOGS
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George VanMeter, Box 61, Mendota, Ill.

WANTED TO BUY: Tavern and property within city limits of Dixon. Please write to Richard J. Burke, 5900 W. Warwick Ave., Chicago 24, Illinois, or call long distance evenings KILDARE 2201

SALE—REAL ESTATE

7-RM. MODERN RESIDENCE, garage; paved street; possession Jan. 21. \$8500.

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LEGAL PUBLICATION

SPECIAL MASTER IN CHANCERY'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE—Partition.
State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss. In the Circuit Court.

Louis Meppen, in his own right and Louis Meppen, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Wilhelm Meppen, deceased, Plaintiff

vs.

Arthur Meppen, et al., Defendants

In Chancery, No. 2638, Partition. PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree for sale rendered by the said court in the above entitled cause on August 25, 1944, and the Amendment of Decrees filed December 20, 1945, the undersigned Special Master in Chancery of said court will, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, A. D. 1946 promptly at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, at the premises hereinafter described, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder on the terms hereinafter specified, the real estate described as follows:

The South Seventy-five feet of the West One Hundred and Twenty-five Feet of Lot Number Six in Block Number Sixty-six in the Original Town, now City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois

Terms of sale: Ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price, in cash on the day of sale and the balance in cash after the approval of the report of sale and upon the tender of a Special Master's deed of title to be furnished.

Dated at Dixon Illinois this 21st day of December A. D. 1945
RUTH L. MERRICK
Special Master in Chancery as aforesaid.

Clyde Smith,
Attorney for Plaintiff
Jan. 2, 16, 1946

File of Papers Awaits New Cambridge Mayor

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 16 — (AP)—A mounting pile of documents, which accumulated while the city council held six sessions and cast 309 ballots to elect a chief executive, today faced Mayor John D. Lynch.

Lynch, elected on the 309th ballot Monday, had to sign the papers, including municipal bills and the payroll of his office staff, to make them legal.

Windfall

Pomona, Calif. — (AP) — Poundmaster Will Warren thinks maybe the end of the butter shortage is in sight for him.

Police tossed two milk cows out of the path of a bus and then turned them over to him.

Fifth Fleet Returns to San Diego Soon

San Diego, Calif., Jan. 16—(AP)—The Fifth fleet will return to the U. S. 11th, Japan within three months, Vice Adm. Frederick C. Sherman disclosed before leaving by plane to assume command of the fleet at Tokyo.

Sherman, who will relieve Adm. John H. Towers, said San Diego would be home base for the Fifth fleet's aircraft carriers. Towers will command the Pacific fleet.

Fight on!

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4-20 When a Girl Loves—WMAQ
4-25 Pontia Faces Life—WMAQ
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4-30 The Music Man—WGN
Ted Malone—WBBM
Just Plain Bill—WMAQ
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5-10 Perry and the Pirates—WBBM
5-15 Pleasure Parade—WMAQ
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Victory—WBBM
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Lone Ranger—WLS
6-20 Elery Queen—WBBM
6-25 Inside of Sport—WMAQ
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7-20 Dr. Christian Drama—WBBM
Bridges—WBBM
Fresh Up Snow—WGN
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Gloria—WBBM
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10-15 Jack Armstrong—WBBM
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Ladies' brown 3/4 length coat, fur trimmed, size 14. Excellent condition.
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On the Wilbur Brooke Farm, 8 mi. southwest of Oregon and 4 mi. north of Grand Detour.
FRIDAY, JAN. 18—12 Noon
Horses, cattle, machinery, oats, hay, corn, straw.
OWNERS: Edward Aurand Donald Brooke

CLOSING OUT SALE
4 mi. N. Dixon, 1 mi. S. Woodstock, on U. S. 52
TUESDAY, JAN. 22—10 A. M.
Cattle, Machinery, Hay, Household items.
DeWitt Morgan, Owner
Wheymeyer & Rutt, Auctioneers.
R. L. Warner, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE of house and furnishings owned by the late W. W. Woolley at 415 Dement Ave. The household equipment will be sold on
THURS., JAN. 21, 1 P. M.
The house will be sold on
SAT., JAN. 26, 2 P. M.
Ira Rutt, Auctioneers.
Warner & Warner, Attys.
Glenn H. Dysart, Executor

PUBLIC AUCTION
The undersigned will sell at public auction all the farming equipment and livestock belonging to the Estate of the late Oliver L. Gehant, Jr., on
THURSDAY, JAN. 31, 1946
Commencing at noon.
The equipment consists of nearly every farm machine used on the modern farm and is practically new. There are two tractors, corn picker, combine, 4-row planter, elevator, pick-up truck, Hammer-mill, discs, plows, drags, seeders, corn sheller, flare box wagons mounted on rubber, individual hog houses and feeders, etc. No matter what you may need on the farm, you are sure to find it at this sale.
Sale will be held in West Brookline at the Sale Barn location. The building itself will be sold
OLIVER L. GEHANT
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John N. Gentry, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE at Pine Hill Gas Station, Rt. 30 1 1/2 mi. N. E. Lee Center
FRIDAY, JAN. 18, 1 P. M.
Cattle, Machinery, Hay, Household items.
ELMER A. MAUS, Owner
Gentry, Auctioneers. Barnes, Clerk

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MONDAY, JAN. 21
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Livestock, Machinery, Hay, Household Goods.
Terms—Cash.
J. P. OGAN, Owner

CLOSING OUT SALE, 1 mi. E. of Franklin Grove, Thursday, Jan. 21, 12.00 noon. 19 head cattle; farm machinery; household goods. Peter Mong, Owner.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE at Floyd C. Bennett farm, 5 miles N. E. of Dixon, Ill.
THURS., JAN. 24—1:30 P. M.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE
George F. Schaefer Estate, in Ashton, Ill., on
THURSDAY, JAN. 21, 1946
Household property sale, 1 p. m. Real Estate

AMBOY

Catherine Schwamberger
Reporter, Phone 378

V. F. W. Auxiliary Organized

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary to the Amboy-Jones Post No. 5035 was instituted on Sunday, January 13, at the I. O. O. F. hall. Twenty-eight members received the obligation given by 6th District President Signe L. Johnson, of Rockford.

The officers were installed by department senior commander Pearl Kraus of Chicago.

Among the distinguished guests present were: Dept. President Mary Schaffer, Chicago; Dept. Senior Vice President Ada Sweeney, Chicago; Dept. Treasurer Marie Bartell, Chicago; Second District President Enid Bisceglia, Chicago; Dept. Sr. Vice Commander Norman Allyn, Rockford; 6th District Commander Clinton Spackman, Rockford; Dept. Inspector Ernest Dove, Rockford; Dept. Patriotic Instructor Fred Allai, Sterling; Amboy-Jones Commander Dick Lenihan, Amboy.

Supper was served and dancing furnished the entertainment of the evening.

The Post presented a check to the Auxiliary as a gesture of good will.

Two hundred members were present from various auxiliaries and posts throughout the state. A complete list of officers will

be published when appointive officers are filled.

Sunshine Club
The Sunshine club met at the home of Mrs. Avery Levan in Dixon Thursday. The hostess served a delicious chicken dinner at noon. The election of officers followed. Mrs. Fred Bybee was chosen president; Mrs. William Sauer, vice president; Mrs. Avery Levan, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Roy Fischer, reporter; Mrs. Day Welty, musician. 500 was played with Mrs. Fred Bybee receiving high score prize; Mrs. Lauren Henry, floating prize, and Mrs. William Sauer, low prize.

American Legion Auxiliary
The American Legion Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Horace Boone Tuesday, January 15, with Miss Ida Poths and Mrs. Del McKeever as co-hostesses. A scrambled dinner will be served at 12:30 with the usual picnic rules.

Sgt. Dickinson in Hospital
Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Dickinson received word from their son, Sgt. James Dickinson that he is confined to the 193rd hospital in France with the flu. His many friends will wish him a speedy recovery.

Joint Installation
More than two hundred witnessed the joint installation of Aurelia Rebeckah lodge No. 161 and Green River I. O. O. F. lodge No. 999 of Amboy in the I. O. O. F. hall Thursday, January 17 of the newly elected officers for the coming year.

Officers installed for the I. O. O. F. were:
Bruce Wilson, noble grand.
William Hall, vice noble grand

Robert Beilows, financial secretary.
Frank Blocher, recording secretary.
Glenn Holt, treasurer.
Orville Fleetwood, outside guardian.
Ray Daniels, inside guardian.
Harold Green, chaplain.
Lloyd Johnson, right supporter to the noble grand and William Kidd, left supporter.
Clarence Music, right supporter to the vice grand and Arlyn Ulrich, left supporter.
Officers installed for Aurelia Rebeckah lodge were:
Mary Baker Wilson, noble grand.
Erna Hoffman, vice grand.
Gladys Gross, recording secretary.
Addie Appleman, financial secretary.
Myrtle Barnes, treasurer.

The appointive officers are Katherine Heckman, warden; Mrs. Floy Wittenauer, conductress; Joseph Wittenauer, outside guardian; Hazel Santleman, inside guardian; Ara Conderman, chaplain; Grace Miller, right supporter to the noble grand and Evelyn Hart, left supporter.
Frances Stone, right supporter to the vice grand and Klea Spade, left supporter; Mabel Bloomquist, musician.

The installing officers were Deputy Grand Presidents Mary Schmall and Everett Barnes; Clem Miller and Evelyn Hart, Deputy Grand Marshalls.
Mr. and Mrs. William, Deputy Wardens.
Carle Sausman and Lloyd Johnson, Deputy Secretary.
Nellie Garrett and Frank Atkinson, Deputy Treasurer.
Ruth Washburn and Harold Ankey, Deputy Guardians.
Temperance Tilton and J. Cheslev, Deputy Chaplains.
Grace Winans, Deputy Musician.

Mrs. Klea Spade and her committee served delicious refreshments.

Personals
Mrs. Elsie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Dickinson and daughter Jane spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell in Freeport. Other guests at the Kidwell home were Mrs. Arthur Glass, Mrs. Robert Morgridge, Mrs. Roy Peltz and Mrs. Martha Anderson, all former Amboyans.

Mrs. Alice Burke, son Joseph of Tampico called on her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fagan, Sunday. They were here to attend the institution of the

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary.

Charles Dickinson and Joseph Kegan who attend the Industrial Training Institute in Chicago spent the week end at their home here.

Pfc. Clifton Sauer left Saturday for Dalhart, Texas after a three weeks turlough with his wife and son, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Sauer.

Mrs. Esther Baker and son Jack of Dixon were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wilson.

Mervin Nauman of Van Orin spent Friday evening at the home of Mrs. C. C. Schwamberger.

Mrs. Joe Miller, daughter Mitzi and Anita Hopkins were dinner guests Sunday at the William Herzog home.

Green River Club
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Boehle entertained the members of the Green River Farmers club at their home Friday evening. A social time was enjoyed and a delicious lunch was served. Guests were present from Van Orin and Harmon, besides Amboy.

Roland Ulrich who took the state police examination in Springfield Thursday and Friday has been accepted and will attend the state police school to be held in Chicago beginning Jan. 21 and will afterward be assigned to his district in Lee county.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Fuller and the Richard Pomeroy family of Lockport who have been ill with the flu are reported as much improved. Mrs. Roy Miller of Armstrong has been assisting in the care of her mother, Mrs. Fuller, who has not as yet regained her strength. She is always glad to hear from her many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ulch spent the week end at the C. A. Ulrich home.

Mrs. Esther Conibear was hostess to the Town 500 club Monday night of last week. Mrs. Georgia Traubner was high; Mrs. Esthel Kalsted low. Mrs. June Wellman drew the all-cut and Mrs. Eda King the traveling prize.

School Notes
B. P. L. Tournament
Lee Center captured two trophies last week in tournament play. They won second in each of the two divisions, A and B squads. The B team defeated Franklin Grove and Ohio in the preliminary rounds and lost to Cherry in the final game. The A squad won from Malden and lost to Ohio. All games were closely contested an enviable record and which is built around center King, 6 ft. 9 in. center.

Lee Center reserves won from Amboy reserves Tuesday at Amboy. Amboy's varsity defeated Lee Center in the final game.

Paw Paw defeated both teams there last Friday night. Games involving the high school this week are: Ashton there Tuesday and Steward here Friday.

The Lee County Grade School basketball tournament gets under way Monday of this week at Franklin Grove. Lee Center, the defending champions play Compton at 8:00 and if successful will play in the quarter final game with the winner of the Paw Paw-Steward game on Wednesday evening at Steward. Finals will be played at Ashton on Thursday night.

Wilbur Liehr, Chambersburg, began his duties as teacher of vocational agriculture Jan. 1, 1946. He recently was discharged from the armed forces after

PAW PAW

DORIS MEAD
Reporter

New Manager

Donald Ewing assumed management of the Paw Paw Co-operative Grain Co. on Jan 1 of this year, following the resignation of Marvin Schlesinger, who has been in charge of the business since J. R. Reynolds retired last September.

Mr. Ewing comes from Flag Station where he served as manager of the Flag Station Grain Co. for three years. He was in the service of his country as a Marine for 15 months preceding his coming to Paw Paw. He received his honorable discharge on Nov. 3, 1945.

Prior to his stay at Flag Station he had held positions with the Steward Grain and Lumber Co., at Steward, and with the elevator at Serena. His good experience fits him admirably for his duties here.

Mr. Ewing has purchased the residence of Mrs. Judith Vance where he will make his home. He brings with him his wife and three children. His father was in the grain business for 30 years at Malden, Ill., and he also has a brother in an elevator at Pontiac.

Marvin Schlesinger has accepted management of the elevator at Sublette and will make his home in Mendota. His friends here in Paw Paw wish him well in his new surroundings.

Birthday Party

Little Miss Bonnie Jean Thompson entertained a number of her special guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Thompson, on Monday afternoon for a birthday party in her honor. The afternoon was passed playing bingo which was a great deal of fun and then the young people were seated at a table filled with food. Sandwiches and pickles were served, and then all enjoyed a generous helping of Bonnie's beautifully decorated birthday cake and dishes piled high with ice cream and chocolate. Bonnie opened all her lovely gifts and at about 5:30 o'clock the guests departed, all extending best wishes to the honored guest, and Bonnie proclaimed this, her 10th birthday, one she will long remember.

Those youngsters attending were Donna Pfeifer, Joyce Simpson, Donna Eich, Ardis Nevins, Jeanette Braun, Teddy Rosenkrans, Betty Lure and Audrey and Barbara Thompson.

Back in Paw Paw

After serving two and a half years with the Army Air Force, Archie Merriman, son of Mrs. Annie Merriman, is now at the State Bank of Paw Paw, where he was employed for five years previous to entering the armed forces.

Following his discharge in September, he did government work in San Francisco for about three months. His many friends are glad to see him around town again where he has always taken an active part in civic affairs of the community, as well as being an

serving in the Pacific and European theaters of war for nearly five years. Mr. Liehr is a graduate from the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois in the class of 1940. He has two brothers teaching vocational agriculture and shop at Blue Mound and Harvey.

The second semester will open Monday, January 14, 1946. Three new subjects will be offered as electives for the remainder of the year. They are: citizenship, agriculture III, and solid geometry.

active workers in the Baptist church.

At the present time, Mr. and Mrs. Merriman are making their home with his mother, Mrs. Annie Merriman.

New Son
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Johnson of Shabbona are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Friday, Jan. 11 at the Glidden hospital in DeKalb. The young man weighed 5 pounds 14 ounces and has been named Kenneth Eugene. Mrs. Johnson will be remembered as the former Miss Margaret Cooke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Cooke, of Paw Paw.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Oftedal and family, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Brewer, Mrs. Helen Pellotier, Miss Virginia McCullen, Carol Jean Rosenkrans and Doris Spears were among those from Paw Paw who attended the Sonja Henie ice revue at the Stadium in Chicago this past week.

Mrs. Maude Case purchased the Douglass property where she has been residing for the past four years.

Marvel Coss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coss, is again working at the Eich Electric Co. in Genoa, where he was employed before his enlistment in the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Petermac have moved to Strawberry Point, Ia., where they have purchased a farm.

Mrs. Maude Rogue is now at the home of her sisters, Misses Mabel and Frances Hunt, in Chicago, where she will pass the winter months.

Mrs. Adeline Shriver received a telegram from her husband, Sgt. Homer Shriver, that he had arrived in New York and that he would be home in a few days.

John Atherton visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Atherton from Malden, Sask., Can., who are in Pullman, Mich., for a short visit.

Mrs. Della Harper, who has been confined to the Columbus hospital in Chicago with the flu, is now with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Hopwood, at Lake Villa, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Krueger of Mt. Morris, have received word that their son, Curtis, is now on Siapan and seems to like the Navy.

Mrs. Homer Meyers, who has been critically ill at the Harris hospital in Mendota, is some improved at this time.

Day By Day On the Air

by
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(Central Standard Time)
New York, Jan. 16—(AP)—CBS has just made another change in its roster of vice presidents through the appointment of Adrian Murphy. Back from three and a half years in the Army. This makes its present total of 12 and puts it into a tie with NBC.

Murphy also was named general executive of the network. He is not being assigned a specific department, and his duties, it was explained, will embrace various activities.

Coming up tonight: ABC 8 Hour's broadcast of All-American jazz concert with Orson Welles MCC, to include Duke Wellington and Woody Herman bands and the King Cole trio. ABC 9 from Chicago, presentation of U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce award to Henry Ford II.

On the air tonight (Wednesday) NBC—7 Mr. and Mrs. North; 7:30 Hildegard variety; 8 Eddie Cantor comedy; 9 Kay Kyser's Hour. CBS—6:30 Ellery Queen; 7:30 Dr. Christian drama; 8 Frank Sinatra; 8:30 Ann Sothern's Maile; 9 Great Moments in Music; 9:30 Andrews Sisters, Ella Logan. ABC—7 Lum and Abner 7:30 Fishing and Hunting; 8:15 Ralph Norman's music. MBS—7 Human Adventure drama; 8:30 Bob Crosby band; 9:30 Dick Humber's music.

Thursday programs: NBC—11 a. m. Words and Music; 2 p. m. Woman of America; 5:15 Eches from Tropics; 6 Radio Supper Club; 8 Frank Morgan, Eddie Duchin. CBS—10:15 a. m. Second Husband; 3 p. m. House Party. FBI in Peace and War; 9 Island Venture drama. ABC—8 a. m. Breakfast Club; 11:30 Club Matinee; 2:30 Ladies be Seated; 6:30 Fantasy in Melody; 9:30 Poor Richard Club award to Ted Gamble. MBS—9:30 a. m. Fun With Music; 1:15 p. m. Jane Cowell; 3:15 Johnson Family; 7 One Night Stand, new drama series; 10:15 Hileah race preview.

Redeployment

(By The Associated Press)
Six transports, carrying 8,497 servicemen, are scheduled to arrive today at two east coast ports, while more than 15,000 passengers are due to embark from 24 vessels at five west coast ports. Ships and units arriving:

At New York
U. S. Victory from Bremen, 1,513 troops, including 29th quartermaster company; 3659th and 3889th quartermaster trucking companies.
John E. Schmeltzer from Bremen, 637 troops including first battalion headquarters company of 175th infantry regiment; battery A of 11th field artillery battalion; company L of 175th infantry regiment.
Miscellaneous on following vessels: John Ericsson from Bremen, 5,124 including elements of 29th infantry division; Thomas Bicket from Antwerp, 606; Henry Wilson from Antwerp, 105 troops.

At Newport News
HMS Ruler, 512 troops including 485th quartermaster refrigeration company; 3533rd ordnance medium automotive maintenance company; 231 miscellaneous personnel.

At San Diego
Miscellaneous troops on following: Escort carrier Nassau, 319 Army, Navy and Marine Corps; Clearfield from Seattle, no passenger information; LST's 725, 562, 631, 712 and 812, 173 Navy and 16 civilians; LST's 553, 554 and 691, 105 Navy.

At Portland
Calvert from Yokohama, 1,398 miscellaneous personnel.

At San Francisco
Miscellaneous troops on following: Sloterdyk from Manila, 1,802 Army, George Flavel from Manila, 1,002 Army; Casablanca from Yokohama, 999 Army; Rescue from Pearl Harbor, 638, mostly Navy; Bon Homme Richard from Leyte, 4,208 Army, including 43rd scouts dog platoon; Solace from Pearl Harbor, 246 Navy; 118 civilians.

At Los Angeles
Miscellaneous troops from following: Henry Austin from Leyte, 756; American Press from Sydney 50; A. J. Rotstein, Guam-Manila, 930; Santa Isabel from Leyte, 1,650; LCI's 713 and 800 from Pearl Harbor, number unknown.

At Tacoma
Maui from Okinawa, 1,650 miscellaneous troops (due originally yesterday).

Eleanor Roosevelt recently dined with the king and queen of England at St. James Palace, London. The dinner service of gold was used.

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